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FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 4, 1871.

Windsor Castle, June 29, 1871.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on John Wickens, Esq., a Vice Chancellor.

St. James's Palace, July 1, 1871.

Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Cambridge has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Lambert Fulke Greville, of the Royal Artillery, to be Comptroller of the Household, and Equerry to Her Royal Highness.

Whitehall, July 3, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend James McDougall to the church of Duror, in the parish of Appin, in the presbytery of Lorn, and county of Argyll, vacant by the death of the Reverend Donald Sinclair, late Minister thereof.

(C. 534.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, July 3. 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of two notices of the Commander-in

Chief in Paris, dated the 20th ult., permit resumption in that city of the trade in inflammable materials, oils, or essences of petroleum or other mineral essences, arms, and ammunition for sporting purposes, subject to declarations before the police of the origin and destination of the articles in question.

(C. 549.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, July 3, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Constantinople, a printed copy of the quarantine regulations applicable to ships passing through the Straits of the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus, recently issued by the Board of Health of Constantinople. They may be seen on application at the Commercial Department, Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens.

War Office, Pall Mall,
4th July, 1871.

5th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Cornet James Lawrence Charnock has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 5th July, 1871.

6th Dragoon Guards, Cornet John Moore to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Charles Love Farrer, who retires. Dated 5th July, 1871.

1st Foot, Staff Surgeon Henry Kelsall to be Surgeon, vice William Grant, M.B., appointed to the Staff. Dated 5th July, 1871.

2nd Foot, Lieutenant Robert Alexander Crawford to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-

Major George Pomeroy Colley, who becomes Supernumerary on being appointed Professor of Military Administration and Law, at the Staff College. Dated 1st July, 1871.

9th Foot, Major Francis George C. Probart, from 54th Foot, to be Major, vice J. H. H. Gammell, who exchanges. Dated 5th July, 1871.

13th Foot, Ensign Walter Edmund May has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 5th July, 1871.

22nd Foot, Lieutenant William Smith Cooke to be Captain, by purchase, vice Robert Fleetwood William Rynd, who retires. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Ensign Theodore Hugh Gough Rhoades to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cooke. Dated 5th July, 1871.

34th Foot, Lieutenant William Vaughan to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles Michael Fox, who retires. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Ensign Thurlow Laing-Wier Dowling to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Vaughan. Dated 5th July, 1871.

36th Foot, Captain James Maurice Shipton, from half-pay, late 33rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Augustus Henry Hartford, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry Gillum Webb to be Captain, by purchase, vice Shipton, who retires. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Ensign Robert Gordon Handcock to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Webb. Dated 5th July, 1871.

43rd Foot, Ensign William Harcourt Sawyer to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hawtrey

Collins-Splatt, who retires. Dated 5th July, 1871.

51*st Foot*, The second Christian name of Lieutenant Seppings is *Johnson*, and not *John*, as stated in the Gazette of the 9th June, 1871.

53*rd Foot*, Serjeant-Major William Geary to be Quartermaster, vice Thomas Marshall, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 5th July, 1871.

54*th Foot*, Major John Holmes Houston Gammell, from the 9th Foot, to be Major, vice F. G. C. Probart, who exchanges. Dated 5th July, 1871.

64*th Foot*, Quartermaster-Serjeant John McGuiness to be Quartermaster, vice Alexander Ross, who retires on half-pay. Dated 5th July, 1871.

69*th Foot*, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Montagu Alison, from half-pay, late 19th Foot, to be Major, vice Henry Scott Turner, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Captain the Honourable Charles James Fox Powys to be Major, by purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Alison, who retires. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Lieutenant William George Hunter to be Captain, by purchase, vice the Honourable C. J. F. Powys. Dated 5th July, 1871.

72*nd Foot*, Ensign Matthew Nisbett Gordon Kane to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice James Thomson, deceased. Dated 4th May, 1871.

Lieutenant Thomas A. A. Barstow to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Thomson, deceased. Dated 4th May, 1871.

105*th Foot*, Ensign William Douglas Graham to be Lieutenant, vice H. W. Aylmer Willins, who retires. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Rifle Brigade, Ensign Henry James FitzRoy has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Royal Military Asylum, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Edward Angier Godfrey Muller, half-pay, late Depôt Battalion, Commandant, has been permitted to retire upon full-pay. Dated 1st July, 1871.

Medical Department, Surgeon William Grantt, M.B, from 1st Foot, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Henry Kelsall, appointed to the 1st Foot. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Unattached. Lieutenant John Chalmers, on the Unattached List of Her Majesty's Indian Army, Bengal Establishment, to be Captain. Dated 5th July, 1871.

BREVET.

To have the honorary rank of Captain.

Quartermaster Thomas Marshall, retired upon half-pay, late 53rd Foot. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Quartermaster Alexander Ross, retired upon half-pay, late 64th Foot. Dated 5th July, 1871.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870; viz. :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Philip Tyacke, 106th Foot. Dated 29th May, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Drury Curzon Drury-Lowe, 17th Lancers. Dated 15th June, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Kendal Bushe, 59th Foot. Dated 26th June, 1871.

HONOURABLE ARTILLERY COMPANY OF LONDON.

Lieutenant Alfred Jameson Waterlow to be Captain, vice E. Mease, who retires. Dated 4th July, 1871.

Ensign Manwairing Jones to be Lieutenant, vice Jacobs, promoted. Dated 4th July, 1871.

Alexander McKenzie, Gent., to be Quartermaster, vice Crosley, who retires. Dated 4th July, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to allow Captain George Ritherdon to retire, and to hold on retirement the honorary rank of Captain in the said Company, with permission to wear his uniform. Dated 4th July, 1871.

Admiralty, 30*th June*, 1871.

The date of Commander Hugo B. Burnaby being placed on the Retired List is to be the 18th, instead of the 21st instant.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Staff-Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet:

George Fletcher Banks, Esq., with seniority of 5th instant.

Nicholas Littleton, Esq., with seniority of 27th instant.

Admiralty, 1*st July*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant John Anderson has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 29th ultimo.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, *and of the City and County of the City of* Canterbury.

West Kent Militia.

Lieutenant Thomas Durell Blake to be Captain, vice Whittaker, resigned. Dated 28th June, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry Richard Beattie to be Captain, vice Foley, resigned. Dated 28th June, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

Uxbridge Yeomanry Cavalry.

Captain Frederick Cox to be Major, vice Mills, resigned. Dated 24th June, 1871.

Treasury, July 1, 1871.

The Lords Commissioners of the Treasury hereby notify that the employment of Short-hand Writer in the Office of the Parliamentary Counsel is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council, dated 4th June, 1870, relative to Her Majesty's Civil Establishments.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury having certified to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, in pursuance of the Act 29 and 30 Vic., c. 39, sec. 16, that the actual surplus revenue of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, beyond the actual expenditure thereof for the year ended the 31st day of March, 1871, amounted to the sum of two hundred and forty-six thousand six hundred and eighty pounds eighteen shillings and six pence.

The Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt hereby give notice, that the sum of sixty-one thousand six hundred and seventy pounds four shillings and seven pence, being one-fourth part of the said surplus of two hundred and forty-six thousand six hundred and eighty pounds eighteen shillings and six pence, will be applied under the provisions of the said Act, in the quarter ending the 30th day of September, 1871, towards the reduction of the National Debt.

A. Y. Spearman, Comptroller-General.

National Debt Office, July 1, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 7, 1871.

Foreign Office, July 6, 1871.

IT is hereby notified that the Right Honourable Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Caràcas, a copy of a Decree of the Provisional President of the Republic of Venezuela, declaring the coasts of the States of Cumana and Maturin from the Port of Rio Caribe to the mouth of the Guarapiche, in the Gulf of Paria, to be in a state of Blockade.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 29th day of *June*, 1871.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order and direct that the

period of training and exercise of all the Militia in England and Scotland shall be extended from twenty-one to twenty-seven or twenty-eight days, as may be directed in each case by one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, until further order be made to the contrary, under the provisions of the said two several recited Acts.

Admiralty, 6th July, 1871.

Dover Farrant, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet with seniority of 4th instant.

The Reverend James de Glanville, B A., has this day been appointed a Chaplain and Naval Instructor in Her Majesty's Fleet.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Richard A. Powell, C.B., has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Flint.

Royal Flint Militia.

Henry Frederick Twynam, late Lieutenant 3rd Dragoon Guards, to be Captain, vice Jones, resigned. Dated 24th June, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Matthew W. Ridley in the Northumberland and Newcastle Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry, and to approve of his retain-

ing his rank on retirement and continuing to wear the uniform of the Regiment.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

Northumberland and Newcastle Yeomanry Cavalry.

Major B. Burrell to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Sir M. Ridley, resigned. Dated 27th June, 1871.

Captain Matthew Charles Woods to be Major, vice Burrell, promoted. Dated 27th June, 1871.

Lieutenant William George Woods to be Captain, vice Matthew Charles Woods, promoted. Dated 27th June, 1871.

Cornet Walter James to be Lieutenant, vice William George Woods, promoted. Dated 27th June, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

1st Royal Tower Hamlets (King's Own) Light Infantry Militia.

Thomas Candler Wharton, Esq., late Captain 97th Foot, to be Captain, vice Rowland, resigned. Dated 24th June, 1871.

2nd Royal Tower Hamlets (Queen's Own Light Infantry) Militia.

Lieutenant John William Lee to be Captain, vice Booth, resigned. Dated 24th June, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by

Major John Maurice Foster in the 3rd King's Own Staffordshire Militia, and to approve of his retaining his rank and continuing to wear the uniform of the Regiment. Dated 2nd June, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 11, 1871.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, July 11, 1871.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the Public on and after Monday the 17th instant.

War Office, July 10, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Theodore Walrond, Esq., Secretary of the Civil Service Commission; Frederick Goulburn, Esq., Deputy Chairman of the Board of Customs; and Edward Baldwin Malet, Esq., a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service, now attached to Her Majesty's Embassy at Paris, to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Whitehall, July 8, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Arthur, Baron Wrottesley, to be Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the County of Stafford, in the room of the Right Honourable Thomas George, Earl of Lichfield, resigned.

India Office, July 7, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles Gurdon Kemball, Esq, of the Bombay Civil Service, to be a Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Bombay.

(C. 571.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, July 10, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs. a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Charleston, enclosing a copy of a Notice of the Health Officer at that port extending the quarantine law of the State of South Carolina along the coast to the south boundary of St. Helena Sound, and the Bull, Coosaw, Combahee. and Ashepoo Rivers. emptying into the said St. Helena Sound. By the above-mentioned law vessels arriving from infected ports are detained thirty days, while those bringing clean bills of health from United States Consuls are detained only so long as may seem necessary to the health officer.

War Office, Pall Mall, 11th July, 1871.

2nd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Captain Charles Albert Leslie Attila French, from the 57th Foot, to be Captain, vice Thomas Ord, who exchanges. Dated 12th July, 1871.

13th Hussars, Surgeon John Noble Shipton, from the 2nd Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major John Sheldon Furlong, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 12th July, 1871.

18*th Hussars*, Cornet George Ferris Rumsey to be Quartermaster, vice Henry Woods, appointed Quartermaster to the Cavalry Depôt, Canterbury. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Royal Artillery, Staff Assistant-Surgeon William Flack Stevenson, M.B., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Arnold Royle, appointed to the Staff. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Royal Engineers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Thomas Bernard Collinson to be Colonel, vice P. B. Whittingham, retired upon full-pay. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major Herbert Taylor Siborne to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Collinson. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Second Captain James Makgill Heriot Maitland to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Siborne. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Second Captain Frederick Augustus Howes (late Madras) to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major John Heron Maxwell Shaw Stewart, Seconded. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Second Captain Charles Warren, from the Supernumerary List, to be Second Captain, vice Maitland. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Arthur Robert Edgecombe (late Madras) to be Second Captain, vice Howes. Dated 12th July, 1871.

The temporary Commissions as Lieutenant of the undermentioned Officers to be made permanent:—

Horatio Dove. Dated 13th January, 1869.

Alfred Edgar Octavius Cotton. Dated 13th January, 1869.

Henry Oliphant Selby. Dated 13th January, 1869.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Mildmay Willson Willson to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant and Captain F. W. J. Dugmore, promoted. Dated 17th May, 1871.

2nd Foot, Ensign Arthur Herbert Nourse to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Albert Evers, who retires. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Staff Surgeon Julius Wiles to be Surgeon, vice John Noble Shipton, appointed to the 13th Hussars. Dated 12th July, 1871.

3rd Foot, Major Talbot Ashley Cox to be Lieutenant - Colonel, by purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Thomas George Gardiner, who retires. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Captain Henry Parnell to be Major, by purchase, vice Cox. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Francis William Kane to be Captain, by purchase, vice Parnell. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Ensign William Conquest Howarth to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Kane. Dated 12th July, 1871.

6th Foot, Ensign William Alexander Holcombe to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th July, 1871.

11th Foot, Captain William Dutton Naper to be Major, by purchase, vice Charles Peregrine Teesdale, who retires. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry Herbert Skill to be Captain, by purchase, vice Naper. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Ensign Gustavus Spicker Bullock to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Skill. Dated 12th July, 1871.

12th Foot, Ensign Ernle Edmund Money to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Edmond

Richard Purcell, deceased. Dated 28th May, 1871.

Ensign Charles Andrews Coles to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Money, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 28th May, 1871.

Ensign Richard Thomas Edward Dowse to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Coles, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 28th May, 1871.

Ensign Geffery Lawrence Eliot to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th July, 1871.

16*th Foot*, Lieutenant John Power, from 54th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice J. W. Ruddach, who exchanges. Dated 12th July, 1871.

18*th Foot*, Lieutenant Herbert Henry Gilbert, from 1st West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice A. R. H. Swindley, who exchanges. Dated 12th July, 1871.

25*th Foot*, Ensign Arthur McLeod Mills to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th July, 1871.

44*th Foot*, Ensign Montagu Wynyard, from the 50th Foot, to be Ensign, vice T. S. W. Bernard, promoted. Dated 12th July, 1871.

53*rd Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Warner Atkinson to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Snowdon Hedley, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 12th July, 1871.

54*th Foot*, Lieutenant John Warner Ruddach, from the 16th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice J. Power, who exchanges. Dated 12th July, 1871.

59th Foot, Captain Thomas Ord, from the 2nd Dragoon Guards, to be Captain, vice C. A. L. A. French, who exchanges. Dated 12th July, 1871.

60th Foot, Ensign Fiennes Boughton Newton Dickenson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Walter Dundas, who retires. Dated 12th July, 1871.

61st Foot, Ensign Charles Edward Whalley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Lechmere Merrick Parkinson, who retires. Dated 12th July, 1871.

63rd Foot, Staff Surgeon John Harrison Robotham to be Surgeon, vice George Peacocke, M.D., deceased. Dated 12th July, 1871.

96th Foot, Lieutenant Edward Chetwood Hamilton to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 12th July, 1871.

100th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Charles John Addington, from half-pay, late 38th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel William Campbell, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Rifle Brigade, Ensign Frederick Compton Howard to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Walter Caradoc Smith, who retires. Dated 12th July, 1871.

1st West India Regiment, Lieutenant Alfred Robert Hale Swindley, from 18th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice H. H. Gilbert, who exchanges. Dated 12th July, 1871.

2nd West India Regiment, Ensign Trevor Randulph Jones to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice

Frederick Griffin, who retires. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Royal Malta Fencible Artillery, Lieutenant, with local and temporary rank, Thomas Emmanuel Bonavia to be Captain, with local and temporary rank, vice Guiseppe Cavarra, retired upon full-pay. Dated 1st February, 1871.

Medical Department, Surgeon-Major John Sheldon Furlong, M.D., from 13th Hussars, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, vice Staff Surgeon Julius Wiles, appointed to the 2nd Foot. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon William Snowdon Hedley, M.D., from 53rd Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Warner Atkinson, appointed to the 53rd Foot. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Arnold Royle, from the Royal Artillery, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Flack Stevenson, M.B., appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 12th July, 1871.

BREVET.

Colonel Paul Bernard Whittingham, retired full-pay, Royal Engineers, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 12th July, 1871.

The under-mentioned promotions to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death of General Richard Podmore, Madras Infantry, on the 24th July, 1870:—

Lieutenant-General Sir Watkin Lewis Williams, Bart., Madras Infantry, to be General. Dated 25th July, 1870.

Major-General Hugh Troup, Bengal Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 25th July, 1870.

Colonel Dighton Macnaghten Probyn, C.B., V.C., Bengal Cavalry, to be Major-General. Dated 25th July, 1870.

Admiralty, 8th July, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Staff Surgeon Frederick M. Rayner has been placed on the Retired List from the 5th instant.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.

Royal Cumberland Regiment of Militia.

Peter Fisher, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Lieutenant John Henniker Wilson to be Captain, vice Murray, resigned. Dated 24th June, 1871.

William Marwood Metcalfe to be Supernumerary Lieutenant, vice Wilson, promoted. Dated 24th June, 1871.

Herbert Edward Smith to be Supernumerary Lieutenant, vice Murray Prior, resigned. Dated 24th June, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Oxford.

Oxfordshire Regiment of Militia.

William Percival Wood, Esq., to be Lieutenant, vice Tompson, promoted. Dated 4th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lincoln.

Royal North Lincoln Militia.

Sinclair Frankland Hood to be Lieutenant, vice Mason, promoted. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

Suffolk Artillery Militia.

Lieutenant Leslie R. Barrow to be Captain, vice Newton, resigned. Dated 28th June, 1871.

William Henry Gordon, Gent., late Lieutenant 28th Foot, to be First Lieutenant, vice Barrow, promoted. Dated 29th June, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

1st Royal Surrey Militia.

Samuel Francis Lucas, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th July, 1871.

2nd Royal Surrey Militia.

Henry Macgregor Weston, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Leighton, promoted. Dated 16th June, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

3rd King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

Captain Charles John Webb to be Major, vice Foster, resigned. Dated 2nd June, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Bill to be Captain. Dated 2nd June, 1871.

Lieutenant Clement Francis Wedgwood to be Captain. Dated 2nd June, 1871.

Queen's Own Royal Regiment of Staffordshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

The Right Honourable Henry Anson, Lord Waterpark, to be Captain, vice Ingram, deceased. Dated 28th June, 1871.

Cornet Edmund Mallet Vaughan to be Lieutenant, vice Earl Ferrers, resigned. Dated 28th June, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Ely R. Handcock, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th May, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Henry Farnell in the Isle of Wight Artillery Militia.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 14, 1871.

War Office, July 3, 1871.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel Howard Craufurd Elphinstone, C.B., C.M.G., V.C., of the Royal Engineers, late Governor to His Royal Highness the Prince Arthur, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign Office, July 14, 1871.

ERRATUM.

In the Gazette of June 30, 1871:—For Edward *Mengeres*, Esq., appointed Her Majesty's Consul at San José, Costa Rica, read Edward *Meugens*, Esq.

(H. 3114.)

Board of Trade, Harbour Department, Whitehall Gardens, S.W., July 12, 1871.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of an Official Notification published in the St. Petersburgh Journal, relative to the increase of certain Harbour Dues at Cronstadt, a translation of which is subjoined.

St. Petersburgh, 11 *June*, 1871.

A DECISION of the Council of the Empire, sanctioned by H. M. the Emperor, on the 21st May last, increases in the following proportions, certain dues levied at Cronstadt, for the benefit of that city.

1. Foreign vessels arriving at Cronstadt, or leaving that port, will pay a due of 1 rouble per last of ballast discharged or taken in by them, by means of the vessels specially constructed by the city for that service.

2. Persons to whom the municipality has conceded the right of transporting merchandize from the shore on board vessels in the ports of Cronstadt, will pay to the city a due of 4 silver copecks for every ton of measurement of the craft employed by them for this service; and will receive from the owners of the merchandize and the captains of the

vessels to whom the craft are lent for the transport 1 rouble a day for each vessel.

The owners of merchandize, who desire to transport the same in their own craft, will pay to the town a due of 7 roubles for each vessel, for the term of the trip. Captains of merchant vessels effecting these transports by means of their boats will be exempt from this due.

Persons who transport passengers from the shore on board vessels, or *vice versâ*, by means of craft belonging to themselves, will pay, if they own two vessels, 5 silver roubles for the second one for each trip.

Each passenger is bound to pay 5 copecks for going from the landing-place to a vessel at anchor in the commercial harbour, and the same *vice versâ;* from the landing-place to the outer part of the port 7 copecks ; from the landing-place to the central entrance of the port in the small roadstead 25 copecks ; from the landing-place to beyond this entrance in the small roadstead 50 copecks ; from the landing-place to the great roadstead 40 copecks ; from the commercial harbour to the central one 20 copecks.

The transport of men from a merchant vessel to the municipal kitchen for the purpose of preparing the food of the crew will be paid for to the contractor of transports at the rate of 3 roubles a month for each vessel employed for this purpose by the captain of the ship. Should this transport be continued for more than a month, the hire of the boat is to be reckoned by the day.

3. Merchant ships, whether Russian or foreign, will pay to the city a due of 9 copecks for every last of their measurement during each occasion on which they anchor at Cronstadt, for the right of preparing the food of the crew at the municipal kitchen. As regards coasting vessels, as well as

cutters, barques, and decked lighters, they will continue to pay for the use of the kitchen according to the tariff fixed by a Decree of the Committee of Ministers, and confirmed by the Imperial sanction on the 17th June, 1841.

(C. 592.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 14, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice of the Portuguese Government, dated the 26th ultimo, declaring the ports of the province of Alagoas (Brazil) suspected of infection with yellow fever since the 10th May last.

(C. 595.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 14, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Lisbon, enclosing copy of a Royal Portuguese Decree published in the Official Journal of the 23rd ult., by which the import duty on rush (juncus) prepared is reduced to 10 per cent. ad valorem, and the import duty on potatoes and beans is fixed at 5 reis (0·26*d.*) per kilogramme.

War Office, Pall Mall,
14*th July*, 1871.

Control Department, Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Purveyor's Clerk Arthur John Hutton to be Assistant Commissary. Dated 15th July, 1871.

Assistant Controller James Bailey, C.B., to be placed on the Retired List. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Admiralty, 8*th July*, 1871.

Royal Marine Artillery.

The undermentioned Gentlemen, having passed the requisite examination, to be Lieutenants, from the dates specified :—

Charles Joseph Cheetham, from 5th November, 1869.

Frederick William Pole, from 6th December, 1871.

Lieutenant Cheetham's name will be below that of Lieutenant T. G. Waller and above that of Lieutenant Thomas Moore, Royal Marine Artillery.

Lieutenant Pole's name will be below that of Lieutenant Thomas Moore, Royal Marine Artillery.

Admiralty, 12*th July*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed upon the Retired List of his rank from the 7th instant :—

Chief Engineer George Trivess.

Admiralty, 13*th July*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their rank :—

Commander James D. Curtis, from the 11th instant.

Commander John Shortt, from the 12th instant.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

William Henry De Merle, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 10th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, *and of the City and County of the City of* Gloucester, *and of the City and County of the City of* Bristol.

Royal South Gloucestershire Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Arthur Northey Le Patourel to be Captain, vice Wallace, resigned. Dated 10th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Pembroke.

Castle Martin Yeomanry Cavalry.

Morgan James Saurin, Esq., late Captain 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Captain. Dated 8th July, 1871.

Charles Edward Gregg Fisher, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Wigton.

Prince Regent's Royal Ayr and Wigton Militia.

Captain William Cooper to be Major, vice McAlester, resigned. Dated 7th July, 1871

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 18, 1871.

At the Court at Windsor, July 11, 1871.

THE Queen, as Sovereign of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, hath been graciously pleased, by Letters Patent under Her Royal Sign Manual and the Great Seal of the Order, bearing date this day, to dispense with all the statutes and regulations usually observed in regard to Installation, and to grant unto His Majesty Pedro II., Emperor of Brazil, Knight of the said Most Noble Order, and duly invested with the Ensigns thereof, full power and authority to exercise all rights and privileges belonging to a Knight Companion of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, in as full and ample a manner as if His Imperial Majesty had been formally installed; any decree, rule, or usage to the contrary notwithstanding.

Downing Street, July 15, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Bell Smyth, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Trinidad.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Thomas Lett Wood, Esq., to be a Member of the Council of the Bermudas or Somers' Islands.

Whitehall, June 29, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto John Henry Newsome, of Barnby-upon-Dun, in the

county of York, Gentleman, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of Thomas Killam, late of Stainforth, in the parish of Hatfield, in the said county of York, Gentleman, deceased, henceforth take, use, and bear the surname of Killam in addition to and after that of Newsome, and bear the arms of Killam; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

(M. 5679.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, July 17, 1871.

THE Board of Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Note from the Turkish Ambassador at this Court, enclosing a copy of the Report of the Commission appointed to revise the Sanitary Dues Tariff of Turkey, together with a copy of the Tariff drawn up by them, of which the following is a translation.

This Tariff came into force on the 13th June last.

TARIFF OF SANITARY DUES IN THE TURKISH EMPIRE.

ART. 1.

The Tariff of Sanitary Dues comprises:—

1. A tonnage duty (*droit de reconnaissance*) payable by vessels entering Turkish ports.

2. Quarantine charges in lieu thereof (*en cas de contumace*).
3. In addition to the foregoing, a tax on pilgrims and travellers coming overland from Persia.

Art. 2.—*Duties on Arrival.*

Vessels from any country arriving in a Turkish port will pay a duty (*droit de reconnaissance*), calculated on their tonnage, in accordance with the following scale :—

From 1 to 500 tons inclusive, 22 paras the ton; from 500 tons and upwards, 12 paras the ton ;—that is to say, every vessel shall pay 22 paras on the first 500 "tons measurement" (*tonneaux de jauge*), and 12 paras for every additional ton.

Art. 3.

Vessels entering Turkish Ports are liable to the duty mentioned in the preceding Article only once in the course of each voyage, and without counting intermediate stoppages.

Art. 4.

Pilgrims and travellers coming overland from Persia shall pay a duty of 10 piastres each person, exclusive of the quarantine charges specified in the following Article.

A duty of 50 piastres shall be levied on every corpse brought overland into the *vilayet* of Bagdad for interment in places resorted to by Persian pilgrims.

Art. 5.—*Quarantine Charges.*

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A.	Fees to Health Officers and porters, per man per day	25
B.	Lazaretto charges, per person per day ...	5

C. Dues for disinfecting goods:— P.

Goods in packages, per 100 okes ...	3
Hides and skins, per 100 pieces ...	10
Rags, per bale	10
Large animals, per head	1
Sheep and smaller animals, per head	0½

D. Charges for disinfecting ships, as follows:—

Ships from 1 to 100 tons, per day	10
,, 100 to 200 ,, ,,	20
,, 200 to 400 ,, ,,	30
,, 400 to 1,000 and upwards	40

ART. 6.

Children under seven years of age and paupers are exempted from lazaretto charges.

ART. 7.

The following vessels are exempt from all the sanitary dues fixed by the foregoing Articles, fees to Health Officers and porters excepted:—(1) Men of war; (2) Ships driven into port in distress, provided they do not engage in any commercial transaction in the port into which they are driven; (3) Fishing-vessels.

ART. 8.

Patent and visa dues (*droits de patente et de visa*) as well as all other previously existing dues, not enumerated in the present tariff, are abolished.

SUPPLEMENTARY ARTICLE.

The sanitary tax is to be paid in all ports of the Empire in coin of the realm.

Constantinople, 24*th April*, 1871.

N.B.—It is expressly understood (1) that the tonnage, according to the tariff, is that known as "Register tonnage" (*Tonnage commercial*); (2) That an English ton is equal to 40 Turkish kilos;

(3) That from the tonnage of steamers, the "Register tonnage" (*Tonnage commercial*) of which is not officially stated, a deduction of 40 per cent. must be made [from the gross tonnage] for engine room, coal bunkers, &c.

(C. 609.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, July 17, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the following translation of a Royal Spanish Decree, dated the 28th ultimo, relating to the Customs' duties on foreign goods arriving under Spanish flag at the Philippine Islands :—

Art. 1. Foreign merchandize, produce, and effects brought from foreign ports in Spanish bottoms are not to be regarded as appertaining to the coasting trade in the Philippine Isles, even though they may have touched, in transit, at ports of the Peninsula, adjacent islands, and Spanish Antilles, and left with the same cargo.

Art. 2. The said manufactures, produce, and effects, brought from foreign ports under Spanish flag, will pay the Customs' dues with the following reductions :—

25 per cent. on importations from July 1st, 1871, till June 30, 1873 ;
20 per cent. on importations from July 1st, 1873, till June 30, 1875 ;
15 per cent. on importations from July 1st, 1875, till June 30, 1877 ;
10 per cent on importations from 1st July, 1877 till June 30, 1879,
on which day this privilege will cease.

Art. 3. The Government will report to the Cortes on the dispositions on Art. 2 of the present Decree.

Admiralty, 13th July, 1871.

The undermentioned Engineer Officer has been this day promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Frederick Henry Herrmann.

Admiralty, 17th July, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

The Reverend Edward S. Phelps, Chaplain, has this day been placed on the Retired List.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed upon the Retired List of his rank from the 11th instant:—

Chief Engineer Charles Moore.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Perth.

Sir James Henry Ramsay, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th July, 1871.

Sir Archibald Douglas Stewart, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Buckingham.

Royal Bucks Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Edward Chapman Clayton to be Captain, vice Robarts, resigned. Dated 12th June, 1871.

The Right Honourable Charles Robert, Lord Carington, to be Captain, vice Lord Kirkwall, resigned. Dated 1st July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

Fife Artillery Militia.

James Syme, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Haddington.

East Lothian Yeomanry Cavalry.

Captain the Earl of Haddington to be Major, vice Balfour, resigned. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Lieutenant the Honourable Robert Baillie Hamilton to be Captain, vice the Earl of Haddington, promoted. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Cornet Arthur James Balfour to be Lieutenant, vice Sir David Baird, Bart., resigned. Dated 11th July, 1871.

John Buchan Hepburn, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Baillie Hamilton, promoted. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Robert Alexander Houstoun, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th July, 1871.

Richard Hunter, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Balfour, promoted. Dated 11th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Lieutenant Gleadowe Evans to be Captain, vice James, resigned. Dated 24th June, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

1st Royal Tower Hamlets (King's Own Light Infantry) Militia.

Richard Bourke, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 1st July, 1871.

Richard R. Cole, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 11th July, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

The resignation (graciously accepted by Her Majesty on the 15th day of March, 1869), of the Commission held by Captain William Werner Dennis in the 6th Tower Hamlets Rifle Volunteer Corps, has been cancelled; and that Officer is permitted to revert to his former position in the Corps.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Gabriel Rollings as Adjutant of the South Shropshire Yeomanry, and to approve of the honorary rank of Major being granted to him on retirement.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 21, 1871.

NOTICE.

Foreign Office, July 21, 1871.

HER Majesty's Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs has received from Her Majesty's Consul

at Calais, a Despatch, dated the 13th instant, respecting Passports, of which the following is an extract:—

"I HAVE the honour to report that, notwithstanding the publicity given to the regulations at present in force regarding Passports in this country, cases still daily occur of persons landing at this port, either without a passport at all, or without the French *visa:* they are, in consequence, unable to proceed on their journey, and are either compelled to return to London or have to wait at Calais."

War Office, Pall Mall,
21*st July*, 1871.

3*rd Regiment of Hussars*, Cornet Henry Charles Tyler has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

4*th Hussars*, Cornet Robert Chateauneuf Tuthill to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice E. Williams, promoted. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

11*th Hussars*, The second Christian name of Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Fraser, C.B., V.C., is *Craufurd*, and not *Crawford*, as previously stated.

13*th Hussars*, Cornet Ernest Richard Hope Torin, from 3rd Dragoon Guards, to be Cornet, vice Arthur Baines, retired. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Royal Artillery, Captain and Brevet-Major Oliver Robert Stokes to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Field, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 8th July, 1871.

Second Captain Henry Whitby Briscoe to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Stokes. Dated 8th July, 1871.

Second Captain and Brevet-Major Charles Fyshe Roberts, from temporary half-pay, to be Second Captain, vice Briscoe. Dated 8th July, 1871.

Second Captain Vivian Dering Majendie, from the Supernumerary List, to be Second Captain, vice J. C. J. Lowry, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 6th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Francis Coningsby Hannam Clarke (late Bombay) to be Second Captain, vice R. Le Messurier, deceased. Dated 6th June, 1871.

Lieutenant Francis Beresford has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 2nd June, 1871.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable John R. W. Vesey to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant and Captain G. J. FitzRoy Smyth, promoted. Dated 25th March, 1871.

9th Foot, Captain Mileson Edgar, from 54th Foot, to be Captain, vice C. J. Borton, who exchanges. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

11th Foot, Major William Henry Crompton to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Augustus Frederick Jenner, who retires. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Captain William Taylor Corrie to be Major, by purchase, vice Crompton. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Lieutenant Frederick Fitzroy Gibbons to be Captain, by purchase, vice Corrie. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Ensign Charles Frederick Morgan to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Gibbons. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

18th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel Theodore Wirgman, from half-pay late 6th Dragoons, to be

Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel George Frederick Stevenson Call, C.B., who retires upon half-pay. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Major George Henry Pocklington to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Wirgman, who retires. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Captain Malcolm John Robert MacGregor to be Major, by purchase, vice Pocklington. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Lieutenant John Boddington Jackson to be Captain, by purchase, vice MacGregor. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Ensign George Avery Godfrey to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Jackson. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

19*th Foot*, Captain and Brevet Major Windle Hill St. Hill, from half-pay, late 65th Foot, to be Captain, vice George Edwin Borradaile, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

24*th Foot*, Ensign John Andrew Nicholson Magrath has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

54*th Foot*, Captain Charles James Borton, from the 9th Foot, to be Captain, vice M. Edgar, who exchanges. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

64*th Foot*, Lieutenant Edward Joseph Jekyll to be Captain, by purchase, vice Francis Du Blois Lukis, who retires. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Ensign Gordon Dewar to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Jekyll. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

82*nd Foot*, Lieutenant James Ritchie, from half-pay, late 3rd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice David Thomas Henry Holbrook, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

98*th Foot*, Ensign Osmond Moncrieff Johnson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry Badeley, who retires. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

101*st Foot*, Lieutenant Charles More Stockley to be Captain, vice Charles Pakenham, who retires. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Ensign William Henry Knight to be Lieutenant, vice Stockley. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

107*th Foot*, Major Albert Locke Nicholson to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Robert Patton, retired on a pension. Dated 1st January, 1871.

Captain David Blair Lockhart to be Major, vice Nicholson. Dated 1st January, 1871.

Lieutenant William Morgan Playfair to be Captain, vice Lockhart. Dated 1st January, 1871.

Ensign James Stewart King to be Lieutenant, vice Playfair. Dated 1st January, 1871.

Rifle Brigade, Ensign Henry John Dutton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Adrian Edward Somerset Marryat, who retires. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Half-Pay, Captain and Brevet-Major Alexander Bravo, from the 1st West India Regiment, to be Major, without purchase. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Unattached, Ensign Charles Stroud, on the Unattached List of Her Majesty's Indian Army, Bengal Establishment, to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

BREVET.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Byng Harman, half-pay, Unattached, Deputy Adjutant-General, West Indies, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of

Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870. Dated 10th June, 1871.

Surgeon-Major Joseph Fayrer, M.D., C.S.I., Bengal Medical Department, to be Honorary Physician to the Queen, vice Campbell Mackinnon, M.D., C.B., late Inspector-General of Hospitals, Bengal Medical Department, deceased. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

The promotion of Major-General Thomas Elwyn, from the Royal Artillery, which appeared in the Gazette of the 30th June, 1871, to be antedated to the 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 21st June, 1871.

Admiralty, 18*th July*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Admiral John Elphinstone Erskine has been placed on the Retired List from the 14th instant.

The undermentioned promotions, dated the 14th instant, have been made in consequence of the above retirement:—

Vice-Admiral Sir Thomas Matthew Charles Symonds, K.C.B., to be Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Rear-Admiral Erasmus Ommanney, C.B., to be Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Consequent on the foregoing, the following promotions on the Reserved and Retired Lists, also dated the 14th instant, have taken place:—

Reserved List.

Vice-Admiral George Hathorn to be Admiral.

Rear-Admirals :

Edward Barnett,
Charles George Edward Patey,
Henry Broadhead,
Alexander Leslie Montgomery,
Thomas Sparke Thompson,
Horatio Beauman Young,
The Right Honourable Edward, Lord Dunsany,
to be Vice-Admirals.

Retired List.

Vice-Admirals :

Sir Lewis Tobias Jones, K.C.B.,
Robert Fanshawe Stopford,
Sir Robert Spencer Robinson, K.C.B.,
to be Admirals.

Rear-Admirals :

John Lort Stokes,
Sir Henry Mangles Denham, Knt.,
Arthur Forbes,
Henry Layton,
Robert Fitzgerald Gambier,
Sir Cornwallis Ricketts, Bart.,
William Henry Jervis,
Harry Edmund Edgell, C.B.,
James Hamilton Ward,
Edward St. Leger Cannon.
Ralph Barton.
Frederick Henry Hastings Glasse, C.B.,
Charles Gepp Robinson,
William Louis,
Charles John Bosanquet,
Courtenay Osborne Hayes,
George Thomas Gordon,
to be Vice-Admirals.

The name of Admiral Sir Robert Spencer Robinson, K.C.B., is retained on the Active List of Flag Officers according to his seniority, but supplementary to the established numbers of the List, under the provisions of the Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870.

The Reverend William Law has this day been appointed a Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 19*th July*, 1871.

The date of rank of Lieutenant Frederick William Pole, Royal Marine Artillery, is 6*th December*, 1869, and not as stated in the Gazette of 14th July, 1871.

Admiralty, 19*th July*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Reserved Captain Gilbert Kennicott has been advanced to the list of Captains retired under Orders in Council of 1847, 1851, and 1867, from the 3rd instant.

Admiralty, 20*th July*, 1871.

The undermentioned Engineer Officer has been this day promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet :—

Owen Ash Davies.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

The Reverend Henry Glasson has this day been placed on the Retired List of Chaplains.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Henry George Baker Baker in the Durham Artillery Militia. Dated 15th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

North Durham Militia.

Lieutenant William Alfred Clarke to be Captain. Dated 1st July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

2nd Royal Surrey Militia.

Herbert Charles Jenkins, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Leicester.

Prince Albert's Own Leicestershire Volunteer Cavalry.

Cornet Charles Sutton to be Supernumerary Captain, vice De Lisle, resigned. Dated 15th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, *and of the City and County of the City of* Canterbury.

West Kent Militia.

Edmund Huntly Hooper, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th July, 1871.

East Kent Yeomanry Cavalry.

George William Heneage, Viscount Maidstone, to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 14th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

2nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Henry Germain Mainwaring to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th July, 1871.

3rd or Royal Westminster Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

John Edward Weston to be Supernumery Lieutenant. Dated 10th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

2nd Somerset Regiment of Militia.

Francis Henry Thorndike, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 17th July, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant James Mitchell in the Highland Rifle Militia. Dated 13th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sutherland.

Highland Rifle Militia.

Duncan Matheson, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Mitchell, resigned. Dated 13th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, *and of the City and County of the City of* York.

3rd Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York Militia.

William Henry Thomas, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Prothero, resigned. Dated 5th July, 1871.

Egremont Eadon Shearburn, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Blake, promoted. Dated 7th July, 1871.

Hussar (Princess of Wales' Own) Regiment of Yorkshire West Riding Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lawrence Dundas, Gent., to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 14th July, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 25, 1871.

War Office, July 24, 1871.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of William Dougal Christie, Esq., late Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Emperor of Brazil, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Whitehall, July 24, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Knight of the United Kingdom of

Great Britain and Ireland unto Hugh Allan, of Ravenscrag, in the county of Montreal, and Dominion of Canada, Esq.

Crown Office, July 25, 1871.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Monaghan.

John Leslie, Esq., of Glasslough, in the county of Monaghan, in the room of Charles Powell Leslie, Esq., deceased.

(C. 642.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, July 22, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Decree of the Municipality of Rosario, dated the 2nd ultimo, declaring the abolition of the quarantine observation imposed on vessels, cargoes, and passengers arriving from Buenos Ayres, Corrientes, and Paraguay, but recommending the captain of the port strictly to observe the visit of the health officer, and maintain in force the dispositions prescribed for the discharge of vessels 400 yards from the shore, until other measures are determined.

War Office, Pall Mall, 25th July, 1871.

Control Department.

Assistant Controller John Banner Price to be placed on the Retired List. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Pay Sub-Department, William Swarsbrick Thorpe, from Cashier Royal Army Clothing Depôt, to be Paymaster on augmentation of Establishment. Dated 26th July, 1871.

Chaplain's Department.

Chaplain of the Second Class the Reverend J. B. H. Harris, M.A., to be placed on temporary half-pay. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Admiralty, 21*st July*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Thornhagh Gurdon has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 20th instant.

Paymaster George J. Starr has this day been placed on the Retired List.

(Mr. Starr has been authorized to assume the rank of Paymaster-in-Chief from this date).

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant the Honourable Arthur de Cardonnel Rice in the Carmarthen Artillery Militia.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Carmarthen.

Carmarthen Artillery Militia.

John Handfield Deane Drake, Gent., to be First Lieutenant. Dated 11th July, 1871.

William Horsley Dewe, Gent., to be First Lieutenant. Dated 11th July, 1871.

Memoranda.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain and Adjutant William Thomas Hall being granted the honorary rank of Major on retirement from the Royal London Militia, with permission to wear the uniform of the Regiment. Dated 30th June, 1871.

Her Majesty's Lieutenants for the City of London have been pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Horatio Calise in the Royal London Militia. Dated 19th July, 1871.

Commission signed by Her Majesty's Commissioners of Lieutenancy for the City of London.

Royal London Militia.

Lieutenant Robert Rankin Hutchinson to be Captain, vice Thomas Waterman, resigned. Dated 19th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk, *and of the City and County of the City of* Norwich.

East Norfolk Militia.

Henry Sidney Hammet Lacon, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Haines, promoted. Dated 17th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

3rd Royal Surrey Militia.

Charles de Lorentz Young, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Montgomery.

Royal Montgomeryshire Militia.

Alfred George Streatfield Beadnell, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 17th April, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JULY 28, 1871.

Foreign Office, July 28, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Bernard Cramer as Consul at Belize; of Mr. Frederic Augustus Clairmonte as Consul at Bridgetown; of Mr. Karl Simon Poppe as Consul at Capetown; of Mr. Arthur Weber as Consul for British Guiana, to reside at Georgetown; of Mr. Ferdinand Schott as Consul at Gibraltar; of Mr. C. A. Creighton as Consul at Halifax, Nova Scotia; of Mr. Adolph Theodor Eimbcke as Consul at Hong-Kong; of Mr. Karl Louis Heldbeck as Consul at Lagos; of Mr. Heinrich Karl Ferro as Consul at Valetta; of Mr. Thomas Williams as Consul at Nassáu, New Providence; of Mr. John Louis Vanderspar as Consul at Point de Galle; of Mr. Wilhelm Heinrich Johann Schabbel as Consul at Port Elizabeth; of Mr. Karl Friedrich Feez as Consul at Port of Spain, Trinidad; of Mr. C. Pitl as Consul at Quebec; of Mr. Alexander C. O. Trentowsky as Consul at Saint John's, New Brunswick; of Mr. Robert H. Prowse as Consul at Saint John's, Newfoundland; of Mr. Saul Solomon as Consul at Saint Helena; of Mr. Friedrich Gerlach as Consul at Akyab; of Mr.

August Karl Gumpert as Consul at Bombay; of Mr. Johann Smidt as Consul at Calcutta; of Mr. Alfred Hasche as Consul at Penang; and of Mr. Francis Machell Cartwright as Consul at Madras, for the German Empire.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. João Rees George as Consul in New Zealand for His Majesty the King of Portugal and the Algarves.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Peter Stauro as Consul at Malta for His Majesty the King of the Hellenes.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Enrique Fox as Consul at Plymouth for the Republic of Peru.

Whitehall, July 24, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Nicholas Hermann Bernard, of Bickley, in the parish of Bromley, in the county of Kent, Esquire, Master of Arts, sometime of Queen's College, in the University of Cambridge, and unto Anne, his wife, eldest daughter and coheir of William George Ashby (formerly William George Latham), Lieutenant in the Royal Navy, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that they may, in compliance with a proviso contained in the last will and testament of Mary Elizabeth Ashby, late of Quenby Hall, in the county of Leicester, Widow (the great grandmother of the said Anne Bernard), henceforth take and use the surname of Ashby only, and that he the said Nicholas Hermann Bernard may bear the arms of Ashby only, and that such surname and arms may be taken, borne, and used by the issue of their marriage; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the College of Arms, other-

wise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

(C. 637.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, July 27, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Consul of the United States of Colombia at Liverpool, a copy of a Decree of his Government, dated the 3rd April last, relating to the inspection for statistical and other purposes, of goods imported and exported at the free ports of Colombia.

The following is a translation of the Articles of the Decree:—

Art. 1. The journals and invoices specified in the 2nd section of chapter 2 of the Code of Customs shall be required in all the free ports.

Art. 2. The default in presenting the said documents or their deficiency or inaccuracy shall be punished in accordance with the respective provisions of the Code.

Art. 3. The examination of cargoes in the free ports shall be performed by the chiefs of the preventive service in those ports, and as the packages are unloaded, and it shall be limited to noting the marks, numbers, and form of each package, and the total number of them.

Art. 4. When the ship goes from port to port, to disembark only a part of its cargo in the free port, the proceedings shall be as directed in Art. 27 of the Code.

Art. 5. The Consular Agents shall distribute the copies of the journals and invoices of the merchandize directed to the free ports, and shall act in every thing respecting them as is done with those of goods intended for the qualified ports.

Art 6. Both the Consular Agents of the Republic abroad, and the Boards of Customs, and of National Finance in the free ports, must keep registers for the compilation of the statistics from the journals, invoices, and other documents which are to be presented in accordance with this Decree.

Art 7. For the trade from the free ports to the qualified ones, the provisions of section 2, chapter 2 of the Code shall be observed, and besides, in Panama and Colon those shall be borne in mind which are established by the Decree of June 15, 1868, published in number 1256 of the "Diario Oficial."

Art. 8. For exportation the manifests shall be presented, the examination be made, and the proceedings take place, which are treated of in Articles 84, 85, and 86 of the Code. The examination shall be in the same manner as that prescribed for importation in Art. 3 of the present Decree.

Art 9. This Decree shall be observed in regard to all vessels which leave foreign ports from and after the 1st of August next.

Admiralty, 24th July, 1871.

The undermentioned promotions have been this day made:—

To be Captains in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commander Frederick Charles Bryan Robinson.
Commander James Augustus Poland.
Commander Edward Stanley Adeane.

To be Commanders in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Lieutenant John Borlase Warren.
Lieutenant Ferdinand George Gambier.
Lieutenant Charles Cooper Penrose Fitzgerald.

To be Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Blennerhasset.
Sub-Lieutenant Edward Blakemore Fletcher.
Sub-Lieutenant Emeric John Vidal Pritchard.
Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Hill Hasted Singleton Mercer.

Admiralty, 25*th July*, 1871.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Navigating Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Robert William Stephens.
Edwin Richard John Williams.
Henry Walter Campion.
William John Symons.
George Henry Stoate.
William George Cox.

Timotheus John Haran, Esq., has been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet with seniority of the 8th June, 1871.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

George Thomas Townshend Cheyney.
Thomas Elliott.
William Henry Martin.
Norcott D'Esterre Roberts.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Chaplain and Naval Instructor the Reverend Robert M. Inskip has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Admiralty, 27th July, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Lindsay B. Crosbie has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 6th ultimo.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty been been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Major Augustus Rich in the North Durham Militia. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

North Durham Militia.

Edward Arthur White, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th July, 1871.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain John Hambly Humphrey in the Artillery Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia, and to approve of his retaining his rank and continuing to wear the uniform of the Regiment. Dated 19th July, 1871.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of

Majors Henry Master Feilden and Clarence Horatio Cary, of the 1st Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia, respectively being granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 21st July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

Artillery Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Lieutenant William Nixon to be Captain, vice John Hambly Humphrey, resigned. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Wilts.

Prince of Wales's Own Royal Regiment of Wiltshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Edward Peach William Miles to be Captain, vice the Earl of Suffolk, resigned. Dated 17th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Eugene Digby Woodcock to be Lieutenant, vice Edward Lopes Watts, resigned. Dated 13th July, 1871.

5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Thomas Erskine Baylis to be Supernumerary Lieutenant, vice Evans, promoted. Dated 13th July, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by

Major the Honourable W. J. Coventry, Captains W. C. Hemming, John S. Pakington, Ferdinando D. Lea Smith, and Theodore H. Galton, Lieutenants John Curtler, Henry Hickman, Henry L. Whateley, Tynson W. Bennitt, Samuel C. Allsopp, and Edmund A. Nuttall Royds, and Cornet William Henry Bagnall in the Queen's Own Regiment of Worcestershire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Worcester.

Queen's Own Regiment of Worcestershire Yeomanry Cavalry.

George Gooch Clowes, Esq., late Major 8th Hussars, to be Major, vice Coventry, resigned. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Sir William Throckmorton, Bart., to be Captain. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Brooke Robinson, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th July, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 1, 1871.

AT the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight*, the 28th day of *July*, 1871.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order and direct that the period of training and exercise of the several regiments of Militia mentioned in the schedule to this Order appended shall be extended from twenty-

eight days to thirty-four days, for the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

Schedule.

The Royal London Militia.
1st Middlesex Militia.
2nd Middlesex Militia.
3rd Middlesex Militia.
5th Middlesex Militia.
1st Surrey Militia.
2nd Surrey Militia.
3rd Surrey Militia.
1st Tower Hamlets Militia.
2nd Tower Hamlets Militia.

At the Court at *Osborne House, Isle of Wight,* the 28th day of *July*, 1871.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Conncil was pleased to approve of, and signify Her consent to, a new Bye law with respect to the pilotage of the Tyne Pilotage District (a copy of which is set forth in the schedule hereunto annexed).

SCHEDULE above referred to.

Payment of Fees by Sea Pilots for Piloting Inwards Vessels of over 500 *Tons' Register.*

Every sea pilot shall pay one shilling for every ship above 500 tons' register piloted by him inwards into the port ; in addition to the sum of one shilling for each ship piloted outwards, which he is liable to pay under the 6th Bye-law of the Commissioners.

These payments shall be placed to the credit of the Sea Pilots' Fund, and shall be applied in the same manner as the other monies belonging to that fund.

Whitehall, July 29, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable John Arthur Douglas, Baron Bloomfield, in that part of the said United Kingdom called Ireland, G.C.B., Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to His Majesty the Emperor of Austria, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Bloomfield, of Ciamhalltha, in the county of Tipperary.

Foreign Office, July 22, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Thomas Francis Wade, Esq., C.B., now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation and Chinese Secretary in China, to be Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary and also Chief Superintendent of British Trade in China.

Whitehall, May 31, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto George William Mounsey, of Brunswick-gardens, in the parish of St. Mary Abbots, Kensington, in the county of Middlesex, of Borran's Hill, in the parish of Sebergham, in the county of Cumberland, and of Lincoln's-inn, Esquire, Barrister-at-Law, son of George Gill Mounsey, of Castletown House, in the parish of Rockliffe, in the said county of Cumberland, Esquire, by Isabella his wife, daughter of John Heysham, late of the city of Carlisle, Doctor in Medicine, deceased, and sister of James Heysham, of Borran's Hill afore-

said, Esquire, also deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a proviso contained in the will of the said James Heysham, henceforth assume and take the surname of Heysham in addition to and after that of Mounsey:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

(C. 673.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 31, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Report by Dr. Dickson to Her Majesty's Ambassador at Constantinople, stating that the Board of Health in that city has lately decided that all cases of Small Pox arriving at an Ottoman Port by sea will be put into an isolated establishment (a lazaretto, when it exists), and there placed in charge of the quarantine doctor until all risk of infection has ceased.

The vessel will be purified by cleaning and disinfectants, and admitted into pratique, unless the severity of the outbreak on board should render necessary the application of restrictive measures.

(C. 680.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 31, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Decree of the French Government, dated the 25th instant, promulgating a Law of the

National Assembly, by which foreign vessels will be permitted, until the 31st October next, to carry wine between certain French ports, under the conditions imposed on the home coasting trade. The ports where this privilege will be allowed will be determined by a notice of the Minister of Agriculture and Commerce.

(C. 683.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 31, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice of the Prefect of the Gironde, dated the 26th June last, relating to the landing of petroleum, &c., at Bordeaux. It is ordered that wooden ships carrying petroleum, schist, or their compounds, should discharge at Lagrange; that iron ships with similar cargoes may, after a declaration to the Captain of the Port, proceed as far as the boom of Sursol, where they will be surrounded by metal floats until the complete discharge of the inflammable materials. No loading, unloading, or transport of the specified materials will be allowed between the passage of Lormont and the metal bridge, except within the enclosure of floats at Sursol, but provision is made elsewhere for those operations within wooden floats. No fires, lights, or smoking will be allowed on the ships or lighters during the unlading, which must take place between sunrise and sunset.

(C. 687.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 31, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,

a copy of an Extract from the Madrid Gazette, reporting an addition to paragraph 3 of Art. 46 of the Spanish Customs Ordinances as follows:—

"Effects brought by the Captains and crews of vessels as their own property, and as venture goods, shall of necessity be despatched at the first habilitated place at which the vessel touches."

(C. 689.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 31, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Monte Video, reporting an additional duty of four per cent. upon all articles imported into the Republic from the 1st instant.

(C. 690.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
July 31, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Decree of the Bolivian Government, dated the 8th May last, declaring the Port of Tocopilla and the Creek of La Chimba lesser commercial ports, duly authorized and opened to the commerce of the whole world. For disembarkation and discharge in the duly authorized ports permission must be solicited from the Customs of Mejillones for the port of La Chimba, and from the Customs of Cobija for that of Tocopilla.

A duty of one per cent. will be levied upon the value of examined goods, for the shipment of which permission may be solicited at Tocopilla or

La Chimba, and all duties to which goods disembarked or shipped at those ports may be liable are to be respectively paid to the Customs of Cobija or Mejillones.

War Office, Pall Mall,
1st August, 1871.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Arthur Rickards to be Captain, by purchase, vice Robert James Dallin, who retires. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Cornet Walter Chrystie Underwood to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Rickards. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

2nd Dragoons, Lieutenant Francis Glennie Farquhar to be Captain, by purchase, vice Thomas Hunt, who retires. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Cornet Montague George Johnstone to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Farquhar. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

20th Hussars, Lieutenant John Dent Bird to be Captain, vice Henry William Studdy, who retires. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Cornet William Chetwode Lloyd to be Lieutenant, vice Bird. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Royal Artillery, The undermentioned Gentleman Cadets to be Lieutenants, viz. :—

John Albert Scott Freeland, vice H. W. Burnett, deceased. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

John Hotham, vice G. Plunkett, resigned. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Hans Charles Maunsell Woods, vice P. D. Barclay, resigned. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Reginald Paynter Maitland, vice G. J. Gillies, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

George Pridham Owen, vice W. B. Cooke, seconded. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Frederick Tyssen Mackinlay Beaver, vice Thomas-Le Marchant, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Edward David Kelly, vice N. S. Perceval, resigned. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Edward Frederick Dawson, vice W. B. Adams, placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Henry Shelley Dalbiac, vice C. A. Cresswell, transferred to the Madras Staff Corps. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Charles Leslie Casey, vice W. C. Black, transferred to the Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Douglas Charles Dean-Pitt, vice J. Loch, placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Solomon Watson, vice H. F. Phillpotts, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Henry Barré Phipps, vice W. H. Kempster, resigned. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Patrick Charles Eric Newbigging, vice W. Cotton, placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

John Sabatier Frith, vice H. St. J. C. Bowen, placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Francis Bertam Dalrymple, vice F. Beresford, resigned. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Alfred Luther Lane, vice H. L. Nicholas, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Charles Miller Layton, vice J. R. Wilmer, transferred to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Henry Hewitt Pengree, vice C. W. H. Sealy, transferred to the Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

To be Veterinary Surgeons.

Acting Veterinary-Surgeon Charles John Grey. Dated 27th August, 1870.

Acting Veterinary-Surgeon James Augustus Woods. Dated 24th September, 1870.

Acting Veterinary-Surgeon Robert Francis Frost. Dated 14th January, 1871.

Acting Veterinary - Surgeon William Pallin. Dated 14th January, 1871.

Acting Veterinary-Surgeon John William Evans. Dated 15th February, 1871.

Royal Engineers, The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military Academy, to be Lieutenants, with temporary rank :—

Henry Geffcken Kunhardt. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Alexander William Cockburn. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Noel Montagu Lake. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Henry Lake Wills. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Edward Raban. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Buchanan Scott. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

George Frederick Wilson. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Suene Grant. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Richard Matthews Ruck. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Simeon Hardy Exham. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Edward Glennie. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Herbert Hugh Muirhead. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Harold Pemberton Leach. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Alfred George Goodwyn. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

William Harold Chippindall. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Alfred Crawford Bruce. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Edmond William Cotter. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Francis Hartwell MacDowel. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Charles Nugent. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Edward John Bor. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Grenadier Guards, Ensign and Lieutenant W. M. C. F. Macdonald has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

3rd Foot, Lieutenant Charles Edward Reeves to be Captain, by purchase, vice Robert B. Morony, who retires. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Ensign Edwards Werge Howey to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Reeves. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

4th Foot, Lieutenant Edward R. De B. Barnett to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles R. Hammond, who retires. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

17th Foot, Ensign Frederic G. Lacon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Anthony Strother, who retires. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Ensign John William E. Angelo, from 24th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Lacon, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

18th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Orchard Cornish to be Captain, by purchase, vice Herbert O. Johnes, who retires. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Lieutenant Edward Tufnell, from 39th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice J. C. S. Irving, who exchanges. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Ensign Henry Joseph Daubeny to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cornish. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

25*th Foot*, Lieutenant Gerald M. Shirley to be Captain, by purchase, vice George Kirwan, who retires. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Lieutenant Hugh Gough Collis to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry G. Ramadge, who retires. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Ensign Henry Grey Dixon to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Shirley. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Ensign Thomas Barns to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Collis. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Lieutenant George Ormond Stoney to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Collis, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

39*th Foot*, Lieutenant John Charles Sarle Irving, from the 18th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice E. Tufnell, who exchanges. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

40*th Foot*, Captain Frederick Nassau Dudgeon, from the 100th Foot, to be Captain, vice Albert Lloyd, who exchanges. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

48*th Foot*, Major Edward D'Heillimer Fairtlough, from half-pay, late 14th Foot, to be Major, vice William Henry Knight, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

49*th Foot*, Ensign William John Jackson, from the 35th Foot, to be Ensign, vice C. E. Yate, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Ensign Henry Ernest Haldane, from the 19th Foot, vice Woodward, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

51*st Foot*, Lieutenant George Henry Denshire to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant A. S. Wynne, promoted. Dated 1st July, 1871.

55*th Foot*, Lieutenant Sidney Cargill to be In-

structor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant J. E. Lee, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 23rd May, 1871.

63*rd Foot*, Ensign George Lindsay Garstin, from 33rd Foot, to be Ensign, vice Palmer, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

68*th Foot*, Lieutenant Arthur Parry Rogers to be Captain, by purchase, vice Richard Clayton, who retires. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Ensign George Francis Marx to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Rogers. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

69*th Foot*, Lieutenant W. R. D. S. Glendonwyn to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant L. J. R. Disney, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

83*rd Foot*, Lieutenant Colonel Thomas S. Brown, from half-pay, late 55th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel A. B. Hankey, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

100*th Foot*, Captain Albert Lloyd, from 40th Foot, to be Captain, vice Dudgeon, who exchanges. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Medical Department, Staff Assistant-Surgeon James Bowyer Baker to be Staff Surgeon, vice Alexander Frederick Bradshaw, placed on the Supernumerary List, while serving on the Staff of the Commander-in-Chief in India. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon William Alexander Duke, from half-pay, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice James Bowyer Baker, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Veterinary Department, Veterinary-Surgeon First Class Francis Frederick Collins, from 6th Dra-

goon Guards, to be Staff Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Thomas Hurford, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Veterinary-Surgeon First Class Tom Parinder Gudgin, from 2nd Dragoon Guards, to be Staff Veterinary-Surgeon, vice R. J. G. Hurford, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Veterinary-Surgeon Adam E. Clarke, Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary-Surgeon First Class, vice Mayer, retired upon half-pay. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Veterinary-Surgeon Thomas James Lang, Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary-Surgeon First Class, vice Collins, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Veterinary-Surgeon George A. Oliphant, Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary-Surgeon First Class, vice Gudgin, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Veterinary-Surgeon C. G. H. Reilly, 7th Dragoon Guards, to be Veterinary-Surgeon First Class. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Veterinary-Surgeon William Hall, 1st Dragoons, to be Veterinary-Surgeon First Class. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Veterinary-Surgeon William B. Walters, Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary-Surgeon First Class. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

William Frederick Blanchard, Gent., to be Acting Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Grey, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Alexander Johnston, Gent., to be Acting Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Woods, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

George Digby Whitfield, Gent., to be Acting Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Frost, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Charles Clayton, Gent., to be Acting Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Pallin, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Half-Pay, Lieutenant John E. C. Doveton, from the 52nd Foot, to be Captain, without purchase. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

BREVET.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels :—

Lieutenant - Colonel Thomas Rattray, C.S.I., Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Lieutenant - Colonel James Hyde Champion, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Uvedale Price, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Russell Eliott, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robson Benson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Lientenant-Colonel Robert Maxwell Johnstone, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Matthew Cripps, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel John William Bristow, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant - Colonel John Pitcairn Sandwith, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant - Colonel Charles Augustus Moyle, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 22nd December, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Thompson, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 22nd December, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Banastre Pryce Lloyd, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 3rd January, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Julius Bentall Dennys, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 3rd January, 1871.

Lieutenant - Colonel Christian Disandt Grant, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 3rd January, 1871.

Lieutenant - Colonel John Robertson Pughe, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 3rd January, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Gill Moxon, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 3rd January, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Cockburn Hood, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 29th January, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel John James Jenkins, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 8th February, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Mardall, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 8th February, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Baldock, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 15th February, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Olans John McLeod Farrington, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 15th February, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Ebenezer Jacob, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 25th February, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Chamberlen William Walker, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 10th March, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Legh Cahusac, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 31st March, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Curtis Drury, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th April, 1871.

The undermentioned Officers, who have retired upon full-pay, to have a step of honorary rank as follows, viz.:—

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Hampden Acton, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

To be Major.

Captain William Miers Wright, Madras Infantry. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

To be Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Surgeon-Major Frederick John Mouat, Bengal Establishment. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

MEMORANDA.

Staff Surgeon Major Peter Henry Roe, half-pay, has been permitted to commute his half-pay. Dated 6th July, 1871.

Assistant Surgeon William Haughton, M.B., half-pay, late Royal Artillery, has been permitted to commute his half-pay. Dated 12th July, 1871.

India Office, 31st July, 1871.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Thomas Francis Stillwell, 38th Regiment. Dated 7th February, 1866.

Lieutenant Henry Vere Hunt, 104th Regiment. Dated 2nd March, 1868.

Lieutenant Mansel Armstrong, 20th Hussars. Dated 30th May, 1868.

Lieutenant Samuel John Dunlop, 28th Regiment. Dated 27th June, 1868.

Ensign Richard John Morgan, 12th Regiment. Dated 18th January, 1870.

Ensign Charles Archibald Mercer, 19th Regiment. Dated 18th January, 1870.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Sheppard, Madras Infantry. Dated 16th March, 1864.

Admiralty, 29*th July*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Staff Surgeon Arthur Adams has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 27th instant.

Queen's Commission.

Royal London Militia.

Henry Browne Savory, late Captain 78th Foot, to be Adjutant, vice William Thomas Hall, resigned. Dated 19th July, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Adjutant Henry Browne Savory, of the Royal London Militia, to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 19th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cardigan.

Cardigan Militia.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Longeroft to be Captain, vice Pryse, resigned. Dated 28th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, *and of the City and County of the City of* Gloucester, *and of the City and County of the City of* Bristol.

Royal South Gloucestershire Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

James George Frederic Hughes, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 21st July, 1871.

Arthur Maltby, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, *and of the City and County of the City of* Canterbury.

West Kent Regiment of Militia.

Reginald Cardwell, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Beattie, promoted. Dated 26th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

Northumberland and Newcastle Regiment of Volunteer Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Henry Collingwood Fenwick to be Lieutenant, vice James, resigned. Dated 24th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

West Suffolk Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

The Right Honourable Lord Rendlesham to be Supernumerary Major. Dated 21st July, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty's Lieutenants for the City of London have been pleased to accept the resigna-

tion of the Commission held by Lieutenant Richard Wilson Love in the Royal London Militia. Dated 27th July, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 4, 1871.

Osborne, July 28, 1871.

THE Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Francis Pettit Smith, Esq., Curator of the Patent Office Museum, South Kensington.

Osborne, July 28, 1871.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on James Jell Chalk, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, Secretary to the Ecclesiastical Commissioners for England.

Whitehall, August 2, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto James Paget, of Harewood-place, in the parish of St. George, Hanover-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., Serjeant-Surgeon Extraordinary to Her Majesty, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

Foreign Office, July 25, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Joseph Joshua Peatfield, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Guatemala.

Foreign Office, August 2, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. F. W. Abel as Consul at Cocanada; of Mr. H. Hollmann as Consul at Maulmain; of Mr. B. A. Dickmann as Consul at Rangoon; and of Mr. G. Bircher as Consul at Aden, for the German Empire.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Adolphus G. Studer as Consul at Singapore for the United States of America.

(C. 693.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 3, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a translation of a Note from the Spanish Minister at this Court, calling attention to the resort of foreign ships to non-qualified ports in the Philippine Archipelago, and requesting the publication of the following circular of the Spanish Government to its representatives abroad, dated the 2nd July, 1860, the provisions of which are still in force.

(Translation.)

The abuses committed by some foreign vessels which, in violation of the Customs' regulations in force in the Philippine Islands, have taken to the island of Ioló a quantity of goods of unlawful commerce, munitions and stores of war, have attracted the attention of the Queen our Lady, and, in consequence thereof, she has been pleased to direct that you be instructed to remind the Government where you are, that as no other than the ports of Manilla, Sual, Iloilo, and Zamboanga

are open to external commerce, the foreign flag will not be allowed to trade direct with Ioló and the adjacent places, which, according to the capitulations of April 30, 1851, form an integral part of the Philippine Archipelago.

By Royal Order I communicate this to you, so that you may make the foregoing regulation as public as possible for the information of the trading community of the country where you are.

(C. 694.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 3, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Rotterdam, stating that, in consequence of the rapid extension of Cholera in St. Petersburg, the Dutch Government purpose placing all vessels arriving in Holland in quarantine which have left any of the northern ports of Russia after the 1st ultimo.

(C. 696.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 3, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a translation of a Circular from the Moorish Minister for Foreign Affairs to Her Majesty's Minister at Tangier, stating that the free exportation of cork from Morocco will be permitted during a period of three months dating from the 27th June last, after the expiration of which the privilege will absolutely cease.

(C. 699.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 3, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of Notices of the Portuguese Government, dated the 14th ultimo, declaring the ports of the province of Ceara, in Brazil, and the ports of Chili, suspected of Yellow Fever.

(C. 702.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 3, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a notice of the Portuguese Government, dated the 18th ultimo, declaring the port of Pernambuco, which was considered infected with yellow fever by a notice of the 27th January, 1871, to be now suspected of the same disease since the 27th June last.

Admiralty, 1st August, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Assistant Paymaster Francis M. Sims has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Admiralty, 2nd August, 1871.

The undermentioned Assistant-Surgeons have been promoted to the rank of Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of this date:—

William Yarde, Esq., M.D.
Charles Jonn Fennell, Esq.

Edward Jones Butler, Esq., M.D.
Matthew Coates, Esq.
William Pattullo, Esq., M.D.
Thomas Alexander O'Flaherty, Esq., M.D.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.

2nd Royal Lanarkshire Militia.

James Towers-Clark, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

3rd Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia.

Jones Gildea, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th July, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major William Reed, of the 1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on retirement.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

1st Royal Tower Hamlets (King's Own Light Infantry) Militia.

George Coulson Childs, Esq., late 7th Hussars, to be Captain, vice Savage, whose appointment has been cancelled. Dated 21st July, 1871.

Frederick John Atkinson Dunn, Esq., late Canadian Rifles, to be Captain, vice Bainbridge, resigned. Dated 21st July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Wilts.

Royal Wiltshire Militia.

Frank Augustus Fraser, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Winthrop, resigned. Dated 18th July, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 8, 1871.

War Office, August 5, 1871.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Hugh Seymour Tremenheere, Esq., Inspector of Mines; Sir Francis Richard Sandford, Knt., Secretary to the Committee of Council on Education; Henry Arthur Hunt, Esq., Surveyor of Works and Public Buildings; Alfred Power, Esq., Chief Commissioner for administering the Laws for the relief of the Poor in Ireland; Patrick Joseph Keenan, Esq., Chief of Inspection, Board of National Education in Ireland; and Joseph William Bazalgette, Esq., Consulting Engineer to the Metropolitan Board of Works, to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

(C. 700.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 7, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Decree of the German Emperor, dated the 17th ultimo, declaring that the following German Customs and Excise Laws will come into force in Alsace and Lorraine (so far as they are not already in force by a Proclamation of the 3rd of May last) on a day to be fixed by the Chancellor of the Empire and to be notified in the Official Gazette for Alsace and Lorraine :—

The Customs Law of the Confederation of July 1, 1869.

The Law respecting the taxation of sugar of June 26, 1869.

The Decree raising a duty on salt of October 12, 1867.

The Tariff of the Confederation published May 23rd, 1870.

The Mutual Customs Arrangement of May 11th, 1833.

The functions vested by these Decrees in the superior provincial finance authorities will be exercised by the Chancellor of the Empire.

War Office, Pall Mall,
8th August, 1871.

2nd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Captain Thomas William Sneyd to be Major, by purchase, vice Goodrich H. Allfrey, who retires. Dated 9th August, 1871.

1st Dragoons, Serjeant-Major James Collins, from the Cavalry Depôt, to be Riding-Master, vice George Cruse, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 9th August, 1871.

6th Dragoons, First Class Veterinary-Surgeon William B. Walters, from the Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice First Class

Veterinary-Surgeon George Longman, transferred to the Veterinary Department for duty with the Cavalry Depôt. Dated 9th August, 1871.

17*th Lancers*, Lieutenant Hugh Massy Barton, from 37th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice W. Bashford, who exchanges. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Adolphus Frederick Connell to be Colonel, vice C. J. Wright, removed as a General Officer. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Robert Barlow McCrea to be Colonel, vice W. H. Cox, retired upon full-pay. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Colonel James Farrell Pennycuick, C.B., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Chandler, deceased. Dated 10th July, 1871.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Edward Oldershaw to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Connell. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Cecil Henry to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel McCrea. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Second Captain William George Martin to be Captain, vice Brevet - Colonel Pennycuick. Dated 10th July, 1871.

Second Captain and Adjutant Philip Henry Sandilands to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Oldershaw. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Second Captain William James Hall to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry, Dated 20th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Harry Miles Burgess to be Second Captain, vice Martin. Dated 10th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Thomas Challoner Martelli to be Second Captain, vice Sandilands. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Lieutenant John Charles D'Urban Murray to be Second Captain, vice Hall. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Second Captain Alexander Macdonell Bonar to be Adjutant, vice Sandilands promoted. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Second Captain Henry Francis Phillpotts to be Adjutant, vice Borton, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon George Traynor, from 46th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Henry Harrison, who exchanges. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Royal Engineers, Captain George Reid Lempriere, on temporary half-pay, has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 9th August, 1871.

The temporary Commissions as Lieutenant of the undermentioned Officers to be made permanent from the 13th January, 1869, viz.:—

Henry Clarke.
William Thomas Wilson.

1st Foot, Ensign Atwell Robert Porter, from the 38th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Baker, promoted. Dated 9th August, 1871.

2nd Foot, Quartermaster-Serjeant Charles Pulsford to be Quartermaster, vice James Stalford, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 9th August, 1871.

5th Foot, Captain and Brevet-Major Ernest Le Pelley has been permitted to retire upon temporary half-pay. Dated 9th August, 1871.

7th Foot, Captain T. Myles Sandys, from the Bengal Staff Corps, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major H. A. Little, who exchanges. Dated 9th August, 1871.

11th Foot, Captain Marcus L. McCausland to be Major, without purchase, vice Thomas B. Tuite, deceased. Dated 24th July, 1871.

33rd Foot, Ensign Edmund Newman to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice F. R. M. Day, who retires. Dated 9th August, 1871.

37th Foot, Lieutenant William Bashford, from 17th Lancers, to be Lieutenant, vice H. M. Barton, who exchanges. Dated 9th August, 1871.

46th Foot, Assistant-Surgeon Henry Harrison, from Royal Artillery, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice George Traynor, who exchanges. Dated 9th August, 1871.

50th Foot, Quartermaster-Serjeant Samuel Grinsell to be Quartermaster, vice John Turner, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 9th August, 1871.

54th Foot, Lieutenant John E. Harpur Crewe has been permitted to retire upon temporary half-pay. Dated 9th August, 1871.

60th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Henry John Shaw, from half-pay, late Invalid Depôt. to be Lieutenant-Colonel. vice Brevet-Colonel R. Joseph Feilden, C.M.G., who retires upon half-pay. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Alexander Boswell Gordon to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel H. J. Shaw, who retires. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Captain Charles Williamson to be Major, by pur-

chase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Gordon. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Lieutenant James Henry Herbert Croft to be Captain, by purchase, vice Williamson. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Ensign Edward Thomas Henry Hutton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Croft. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Ensign Fulbert Wright Archer to be Lieutenant. by purchase, vice Sir Harry Paul Burrard, Bart, who retires. Dated 9th August, 1871.

69*th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Stephen Swiney to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Augustus Dawson, who retires. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Ensign Lawrence Wilkinson Macdonald to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Swiney. Dated 9th August, 1871.

76*th Foot*, Ensign George Lycett E. May to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice C. C. Egerton, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 9th August, 1871.

82*nd Foot*, Ensign Benjamin Thomas Bradley Flood from 17th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Holbrook, promoted. Dated 9th August, 1871.

91*st Foot*, Lieutenant William Grant to be Captain, without purchase, vice A. P. Mules, deceased. Dated 26th July, 1871.

Ensign Charles Algernon Hearle Bishop Culpeper to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Grant. Dated 26th July, 1871.

103*rd Foot*, Captain Thomas Stanley Clay has been permitted to retire on temporary half-pay. Dated 9th August, 1871.

107*th Foot*, The retirement upon temporary half-pay of Lieutenant George Hay Dale, which was

notified in the Gazette of 27th June, 1871, has been cancelled.

Ensign Alfred Batson to be Lieutenant, vice G. H. Dale, deceased. Dated 30th June, 1871.

108*th Foot*, The appointment of John Davidson Fullerton, Gent., to an Ensigncy, has been cancelled.

Rifle Brigade, Ensign Henry Gordon has been permitted to retire from the Service by the Sale of his Commission. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Ceylon Rifles, The second Christian name of Lieutenant Perkins is *Fred*, and not *Frederick*, as previously stated.

Veterinary Department, Veterinary-Surgeon First Class George Longman, from 6th Dragoons, to be Veterinary-Surgeon. Dated 9th August 1871.

BREVET.

Major-General Thomas Elwyn, retired full-pay Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Colonel Charles James Wright, from the Royal Artillery, to be Major-General, vice Elwyn, retired on full-pay, to bear date the 6th March, 1868, but not to carry back pay prior to 20th July, 1871.

Colonel William Hamilton Cox, retired full-pay Royal Artillery, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Inspector-General of Hospitals Archibald Gordon, M.D., C.B., on half-pay, to be Honorary Surgeon to Her Majesty, vice Thomas Mostyn, deceased. Dated 9th August, 1871.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles James Robarts, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 20th April, 1867.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas James, C.B., Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 3rd May, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Holbeche Couchman Royal (late Madras) Artillery. Dated 12th June, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Colin Cookworthy, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery. Dated 19th June, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Sinclair Thomson, 54th Foot. Dated 27th July, 1871.

To have the honorary rank of Captain.

Riding-Master George Cruse, retired on half-pay, late 1st Dragoons. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Quartermaster James Stalford, retired on half-pay, late 2nd Foot. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Quartermaster John Turner, retired on half-pay, late 50th Foot. Dated 9th August, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

The proper names of the General Officer of the Madras Army, described as General Sir *W. L. Williams*, Bart., are Sir *Watkin Lewis Griffies-Williams*, Bart.

Admiralty, 4th August, 1871.

Mr. George Bruce Newton has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Newton has been specially promoted for services in the suppression of smallpox, &c., in Japan.

Admiralty, 5th August, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their rank from the dates stated against their names :—

Chief Engineer William Hall, from the 1st instant.

Chief Engineer William Maxwell, from the 2nd instant.

Mr. John Bowen has this day been appointed a Naval Instructor in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 7th August, 1871.

The undermentioned Naval Instructor has been placed upon the Retired List of his rank from the 5th instant, under the terms of the Order in Council of 30th April, 1861 :—

Joseph W. Jeans.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

Lewis John Way, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Essex Rifles Militia.

Lieutenant Alexander William Low to be Captain, vice Richardson, resigned. Dated 28th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

William Wilberforce Baynes, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th August, 1871.

1st Royal Tower Hamlets (King's Own Light Infantry) Militia.

Andrew Rutherford Warren, Esq., half-pay, late Lieutenant Military Train, to be Captain, vice Graham resigned. Dated 4th August, 1871.

Daniel John Clanchy, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant, vice Pritchard, resigned. Dated 4th August, 1871.

2nd Royal Tower Hamlets (Queen's Own Light Infantry) Militia.

George Paddock Bate, M.D., F.R.C.S., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Cloudesley, resigned. Dated 4th August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.

Royal Cumberland Regiment of Militia.

Samuel Wagstaff Smith, jun., Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Glamorgan.

Royal Glamorgan Light Infantry Militia.

Tudor Lloyd, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice James, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Inverness.

Highland Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

George Haggarth Rainy, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Stewart, promoted. Dated 28th July, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Quartermaster John Blain, of the Artillery Regi-

ment of Royal Lancashire Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Captain on retirement. Dated 26th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lincoln.

Royal South Lincoln Militia.

Edmund James Lucas Calcraft to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.

Hampshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet F. M. Jervoise to be Lieutenant, vice Hunter, resigned. Dated 3rd August, 1871.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 27th January last.]

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

2nd Royal Tower Hamlets (Queen's Own Light Infantry) Militia.

Herbert Rudall, Esq., late Lieutenant 89th Foot, to be Captain, vice Pipon, resigned. Dated 17th January, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major George Hannay, of the Fife Artillery Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 27th July, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 11, 1871.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, August 11, 1871.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on and after Monday, August 14, until further orders.

Foreign Office, July 18, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Robert Burnett David Morier, Esq , C.B., now Secretary of Legation at Darmstadt, to be Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires to the King of Wurtemberg.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Evan Montagu Baillie, Esq., now Secretary of Legation at Stuttgardt, to be Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires to the Grand Dukes of Baden and Hesse-Darmstadt.

Foreign Office, July 26, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Russell Gurney, M.P., one of Her Majesty's Counsel, and Recorder of the City of London, to be Her Majesty's Commissioner for the settlement of British and American Claims under the 12th Article of the Treaty of Washington of the 8th of May, 1871.

Foreign Office, July 29, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Harry Thomas Alfred Rainals, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Baltimore, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Brest.

Whitehall, August 10, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend David Johnstone to the church of Hallin in Waternish, in the parish of Kilmuir, in the presbytery of Skye, and shire of Inverness, vacant by the transportation of the Reverend Donald Macaulay to the church and parish of Eddrachillis.

Admiralty, 9th August, 1871.

William Edward O'Brien, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 7th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Colonel Thomas St. Leger Alcock to be Honorary Colonel. Dated 21st July, 1871.

2nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

John Jennings Hamilton Hamilton to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 29th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cardigan.

Cardigan Militia.

Philip Francis Durham, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 8th August, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 15, 1871.

Foreign Office, August 12, 1871.

EARL GRANVILLE, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has received from Mr. Doria, Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Lisbon, a Despatch enclosing a Law introducing certain changes in reference to the arrival and sojourn of foreigners in Portugal. The following is a translation of the Law referred to: —

"*Diario do Governo,*" *July* 19 *and* 20, 1871.

LAW.

DOM LOUIS, by the grace of God, King of Portugal and the Algarves, &c. We make known to all our subjects, that the General Cortes have decreed, and We sanction the following Law :—

ART. 1. The Government is hereby authorized to alter the police regulations in force, for the purpose of facilitating the admission, residence, transit, and departure of travellers, both natives and foreigners, and to make whatever reductions

may be necessary in order to attain this object in the tables of fees annexed to the General Police Regulations of April 7, 1863, provided the adoption of these measures does not entail any increase of expenditure.

ART. II. All legislation to the contrary is hereby revoked.

We command, therefore, &c. The President of the Council of Ministers and Minister and Secretary of State for the Home Department, and the Minister and Secretary of State for the Finance Department, shall cause the same to be printed, published, and circulated.

Given at the Palace, May 27, 1871.

(Signed) THE KING.

(Countersigned) MARQUIS D'AVILA AND BOLAMA.
CARLOS BENTO DA SILVA.

ROYAL DECREE.

Availing myself of the authority accorded to my Government in virtue of the Law of May 27, 1871, I am pleased to decree as follows :—

ART. I. Travellers arriving from Europe are freely admitted into the Kingdom, and at their entrance no passport or any other document or declaration tending to legalize their admission or to prove their identity can be demanded from them.

Nevertheless the Government whenever the welfare of the State shall require it, may temporarily decree such measures as it may think expedient for the purpose of controlling the entry of any travellers into the Kingdom either by sea or by land.

ART. II. A foreign traveller arriving in the Kingdom is bound to appear within the term of

48 hours before the Administrator of the respective District in order to legalize his residence.

In the Districts of Lisbon, Belem, Olivaes, and Oporto, he shall appear before the respective Civil Governors.

Art. III. Any foreigner wishing to legalize his residence, in compliance with the rule laid down in the foregoing Article, shall be bound to exhibit a certificate of nationality issued by the respective Diplomatic or Consular Authority, and his permit of residence shall be issued on the said certificate in accordance with what is laid down in the No. 1 of the second section of the 8th article of the General Police Regulations of April 7, 1863.

Art. IV. Should a foreigner be unable to exhibit a certificate of nationality on account of there not being within the district any functionary of his own nation that may be competent to issue the same, or for any other reason independent of his own will, the permit of residence shall be issued either on the passport which he may present, on a special document, in accordance with the rule laid down in the 8th Article of the above-mentioned General Police Regulations.

The stipulations contained in any Treaties with regard to the subjects of the respective nations form an exception to the rule laid down in this Article.

Art. V A foreigner who shall not legalize his residence under the terms and in the manner prescribed in the foregoing Articles, and in the regulations in force shall be liable to a fine of from 2000 to 5000 reis (8s. 10d. to £1 2s. 2d).

In case however he should not, after this fine, legalize his residence, he may be compelled to quit the Kingdom within the period that may be fixed by the Government.

Art. VI. The table of fees and stamp duty annexed to the General Police Regulations of April 7, 1863 shall be superseded and replaced by the table annexed to this Decree.

Art. VII. No permit of residence shall be issued for an unlimited period. The permit of residence authorizing residence for the last year of the five mentioned in the No. 1 of the 2nd § of the 8th Article of the General Police Regulations of April 7, 1863, shall be considered to be a permit of permanent residence without being subject to the payment of any duties beyond those corresponding to the annual permit.

Art. VIII. All travellers entering the Kingdom in transit for the purpose of quitting the same through any point on the frontier or through any sea port are dispensed from taking out a permit of residence, provided their stay in the Kingdom shall not exceed 8 days.

§ 1. The dispensation from taking out a permit of residence does not exempt one from appearing before the respective Administrative Authority within the period specified in the 2nd Article, in which case the traveller must declare how long he will stay in the Kingdom, and provide himself with a passport for the place to which he intends to proceed.

§ 2. Should a traveller exhibit a passport from the place whence he came his departure from the Kingdom shall be allowed by means of a visa written out on the passport itself.

§ 3. When a traveller has to quit within 48 hours, the visas mentioned in the foregoing paragraph may be signed by the Police functionaries who control the entrance of travellers, after obtaining the authorization of the respective Civil Governors.

Art. IX. The stamp duty leviable upon permits of residence and upon visas shall be recovered by means of stamps.

Art. X. All visits and official inspection of the Police are done away with upon the entry of vessels arriving from European ports, with the exception of the delivery of a list (see model No. 3 annexed to the general Police Regulations of April 7, 1863), which the masters of ships are bound to present immediately to the Police Authority under pain of being liable to a fine of from 10,000 to 50,000 reis (£2 4s. 5d. to £11 2s. 2d.).

The rule laid down in this Article does not exclude any extraordinary visits that the Police Authorities may consider it expedient to make in the interest of the public service.

Art. XI. The visits and official inspection of the Police are also done away with upon the departure of any vessels bound to any ports of the Kingdom or of the adjacent Islands.

Art. XII. The Police delegations in the Ports of Lisbon and Oporto are abolished.

§ 1. The employés of these delegations which are hereby abolished shall be attached to the respective offices of the Civil Governments as provided in the Law of July 13, 1863, in order that they may in due time be placed on the list of employés of the said offices, of the Civil Government, or of other public departments, in accordance with the Decree of October 31, 1870.

§ 2. The boatman belonging to the boat made use of by the maritime Police delegation of Oporto for visiting the ships shall be attached to the Custom-house of that city.

§ 3. The Police visits to ships shall in future be made in boats furnished by the Custom-houses.

Art. XIII. The duties which were hitherto

entrusted to the delegations now abolished shall be discharged by the respective Civil Governments.

§ 1. The Civil Government of Lisbon and Oporto shall select from among the employés of the Civil Governments or from the Public Departments subject to them, those who are to be entrusted with the duty of visiting the ships.

§ 2 The employés appointed for this service shall perform the same duties and functions as were d scharged by the delegates of maritime Police in virtue of the regulations.

Art. XIV. The Government shall embody into one Code of Regulations all the enactments concerning the supervision exercised by the Police over travellers.

The President of the Council of Ministers, Minister and Secretary of State for the Home Department, and the Minister and Secretary of State for the Finance Department shall accordingly cause the same to be carried into execution.

Palace, July 17, 1871.

(Signed) THE KING.

(Countersigned) Marquis d'Avila and Bolama.
Carlos Bento da Silva.

TABLE of FEES and STAMP DUTY referred to in the Decree of July 17, 1871.

Fees that are to be levied in the Office of the Civil Governor of Lisbon, as prescribed in the 1st chapter of the Tables of the Administrative Code.	Fees.			Stamp Duty.		
	Reis.	Sterling, *s.*	*d.*	Reis.	Sterling. *s.*	*d.*
Passports for natives to foreign countries and colonies	2400	10	8	1000	4	5
Do. foreigners do. do. ...	1600	7	0	1000	4	5
Visâs on foreign passports do. do. ...	800	3	6	1000	4	5
Tickets of residence or visas giving permission to foreigners to reside for three months	400	1	9	50	0	2½
Do. do. do. for six months	400	1	9	100	0	5
Do. do. do. for nine months	400	1	9	150	0	8
Do. do. do. for one year	400	1	9	200	0	10½

Fees that are to be levied in the Offices of the other Civil Governors, as provided in the Table of chapter 2 of said Code.

Passports to foreigners for foreign countries	800	3 6	1000	4 5
Visâs on do. do. do.	800	3 6	1000	4 5
Passports to natives for foreign countries by the sea ports	1600	7 0	1000	4 5
Do. do. frontier	480	...	1000	4 5
Tickets of residence or visâs allowing foreigners to reside for three months	400	...	50	0 $2\frac{1}{2}$
Do. do. do. for six months ...	400	...	100	0 5
Do. do. do. for nine months ...	400	...	150	0 8
Do. do. do. for one year ...	400	...	200	0 $10\frac{1}{2}$

TABLE of FEES and STAMP DUTY—*continued.*

Fees that are to be levied in the Offices of the Administrators of Districts as provided in the Table of chapter 3 of the said Code.	Fees.			Stamp Duty.		
	Reis.	Sterling. *s.*	*d.*	Reis.	Sterling. *s.*	*d.*
Pass to foreigners	120	0	$6\frac{1}{4}$	40	0	2
Visâs on passports of foreigners for permission to enter	120	0	$6\frac{1}{4}$	40	0	2
Tickets of residence or visâs allowing foreigners to reside for three months	40	0	2	100	0	5
Do. do. do. for six months	40	0	2	200	0	$10\frac{1}{2}$
Do. do. do. for nine months	40	0	2	300	1	4
Do. do. do. for one year	40	0	2	400	1	9

Palace, July 17, 1871.

(Signed) MARQUIS D'AVILA AND BOLAMA.
CARLOS BENTO DA SILVA.

Foreign Office, August 7, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Edward Baldwin Malet, Esq., C.B., now a Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation in China.

Whitehall, August 5, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Charles Haywood, of Comberford Hall, in the parish of Tamworth, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his maternal uncle, Edward Farmer, late of Comberford Hall aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, henceforth take and use the surname of Farmer, in addition to and after that of Haywood, and also bear the arms of Farmer, such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect;

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

(C. 731.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 14, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice of the Danish Government, dated the 1st instant, providing that in consequence of the prevalence of Asiatic Cholera at St. Petersburg, and at several Russian and Baltic

ports and places in Finland, the provisions of the Law of the 1st May, 1868, for the "Prevention of the Introduction of Cholera seawards," are to be put in force until further notice, with respect to vessels arriving in Danish ports from Russian ports in the Gulf of Finland, the Gulf of Bothnia, or the Baltic, as well as from all ports in Finland.

The Law of 1st May referred to, enacts:—"That all vessels arriving from an infected port or place, shall neither land passengers nor crew, nor have any communication with the shore until the Quarantine Doctor has been on board and granted them free pratique.

"Vessels coming from such infected ports or places shall, on arrival in the roads, immediately hoist the quarantine flag, or in place thereof a white flag, on the main-top.

"Masters neglecting to comply with these regulations will render themselves liable to a fine of 200 rigsdollars (about £21 stg.)."

(C. 732.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 14, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notification of the Chancellor of the German Empire, determining the 7th instant as the date for the introduction into Alsace and Lorraine of the German Customs and Excise Laws mentioned in the Law of the 17th ultimo, a translation of which appeared in the London Gazette of the 8th instant.

(C. 741.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 14, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice of the Portuguese Government, dated the 28th ultimo, declaring the ports of Mozambique, which by the Notice of the 3rd November, 1870, were declared to be infected with cholera morbus now to be suspected of the same disease since the 12th April last, with the exception of the ports of Ibo and Quilimane which remain in the same category in which they were placed by the above-mentioned notice.

Admiralty, 11*th August*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Navigating Lieutenants have been placed on the Retired List from the dates stated against their names :—

Mr. William R. Cronin, from the 2nd instant.
Mr. Erasmus C. Roberts, from the 5th instant.

Francis Edwin Julian, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 12*th August*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Paymaster John E. C. Sullivan has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Aberdeen.

Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.

The Lord Inverurie to be Lieutenant. Dated 7th August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hertford.

Herts Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet John Ross Dagg to be Lieutenant. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.

2nd Royal Lanarkshire Militia.

Michael William Albert Thomson Carmichael, Gent, to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th August, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Captain William Robertson to be Major, vice Reed, resigned. Dated 28th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Godson Godson to be Captain, vice Robertson, promoted. Dated 28th July, 1871.

William Emery Sherman Sanderson to be Lieutenant, vice Godson, promoted. Dated 28th July, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 18, 1871.

War Office, Pall Mall,
18th August, 1871.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, Lieutenant Benjamin Lee Guinness to be Captain, by purchase, vice W. W. Hartopp, who retires. Dated 19th August, 1871.

Cornet Charles Gore, Lord Kilmarnock, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Guinness. Dated 19th August, 1871.

Cornet Lord Henry A. G. Somerset to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dudley Francis, Earl of Guilford, who retires. Dated 19th August, 1871.

Royal Engineers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Henry Young Darracott Scott, C.B., on the Seconded List, has been permitted to retire upon full-pay. Dated 19th August, 1871.

Second Captain Charles Edmund Webber to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Charles John Darrah, deceased. Dated 22nd June, 1871.

Lieutenant Arthur Blayney Coddington to be Second Captain, vice Webber. Dated 22nd June, 1871.

Lieutenant Richard Nicolls Buckle, from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant, vice Coddington. Dated 22nd June, 1871.

Lieutenant Albert Charles Smith, from the Seconded List, to be Lieutenant.

The surname of the Lieutenant appointed on the 2nd August, 1871, is *Wells*, and not *Wills*, as stated in the Gazette of the 1st August, 1871.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable Ronald George Elidor Campbell to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable Frederick Arthur Wellesley, who resigns that appointment. Dated 19th August, 1871.

1st Foot, Ensign Herbert William Goldsworthy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ernest Alexander Morant, who retires. Dated 19th August, 1871.

2nd Foot, Captain Francis John Hercy to be

Major, without purchase, vice J. C. Weir, made Supernumerary on being appointed Assistant-Quartermaster-General in India. Dated 10th May, 1871.

Lieutenant Robert Alexander Crawford to be Captain, without purchase, vice Hercy. Dated 10th May, 1871.

Lieutenant George Herbert Woodard to be Captain, without purchase, vice Crawford, whose promotion, on 1st July, 1871, has been cancelled. Dated 1st July, 1871.

Ensign William Gun Collis to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Woodard. Dated 1st July, 1871.

3rd Foot, Staff Surgeon William Collis to be Surgeon, vice Thomas Teevan, appointed to the 30th Foot. Dated 19th August, 1871.

8th Foot, Lieutenant George Rowan Hamilton has been permitted to retire upon temporary half-pay. Dated 19th August, 1871.

16th Foot, Lieutenant Alexander Martin Paterson to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Taylor, who has returned to Regimental duty. Dated 24th July, 1871.

18th Foot, Ensign Arthur John Milner to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Burnaby, transferred to the 70th Foot. Dated 9th August, 1871.

25th Foot, Ensign Charles William Gray to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry H. Preston Powell, who retires. Dated 19th August, 1871.

26th Foot, Staff Assistant-Surgeon William Carpenter, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice John Gray, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 19th August, 1871.

30*th Foot*, Surgeon Thomas Teevan, from 3rd Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Alfred Hooper, appointed to the Staff. Dated 19th August, 1871.

44*th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Moore Kirkwood to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 19th August, 1871.

47*th Foot*, Lieutenant Eyare King, from half-pay, late 3rd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Samuel Lang, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 19th August, 1871.

59*th Foot*, Ensign Montague James to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 19th August, 1871.

70*th Foot*, Lieutenant George F. Green to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry Edward Couper, who retires. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Lieutenant Richard Briones Burnaby, from the 18th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Green. Dated 9th August, 1871.

75*th Foot*, Ensign James John Burke Menzies, from the 23rd Foot, to be Ensign, vice Woodward, promoted. Dated 19th August, 1871.

95*th Foot*, Ensign Pelham James Maitland to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 19th August, 1871.

101*st Foot*, Lieutenant Arthur C. Maurice to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Stockley, promoted. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

104*th Foot*, Captain Alfred William Ducat, from the 106th Foot, to be Captain, vice Robert Campbell Richardson, who exchanges. Dated 19th August, 1871.

106*th Foot*, Captain Robert Campbell Richardson, from the 104th Foot, to be Captain, vice A. W. Ducat, who exchanges. Dated 19th August, 1871.

108*th Foot*, Ensign Ernest Armond Barclay to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Greenaway, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 6th June, 1871.

Medical Department, Surgeon Alfred Hooper, from the 30th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon, vice William Collis, appointed to the 3rd Foot. Dated 19th August, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon John Gray, M.D., from the 26th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Carpenter, M.D., appointed to the 26th Foot. Dated 19th August, 1871.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Frederick Octavius Salusbury, C.B., retired upon a pension, late of 101st Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 19th August, 1871.

Brevet-Colonel Henry Young Darracott Scott, C.B., retired full-pay, Royal Engineers, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 19th August, 1871.

Paymaster Alexander Aitken Ross, 17th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 17th July, 1871.

Memoranda.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Frederick Octavius Salusbury, C.B., half-pay, late 101st Foot, has been permitted to retire on a pension. Dated 19th August, 1871.

Lieutenant John Jordan, half-pay, late 107th Foot, has been permitted to commute his Military allowance. Dated 27th July, 1871.

India Office, 17th August, 1871.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, made by the Governments in India :—

BREVET.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Williams Sanders, Bengal Infantry. Dated 20th November, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Price Clarkson, Bengal Infantry. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Gibson Anderson, Bengal Infantry. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Lieutenant-Colonel Walter Montriou, Bombay Infantry Dated 10th December, 1870

Lieutenant Colonel Lenox James Farquharson, Bengal Cavalry. Dated 3rd January, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Reynolds Scott Burrows, Bombay Infantry. Dated 9th January, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Augustus Kay Moffat, Bengal Infantry. Dated 15th February, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh Lowman Pester, Bengal Infantry. Dated 8th March, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Evan Murray MacGregor, Bombay Cavalry. Dated 12th April, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Need, Bengal Infantry. Dated 14th April, 1871.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Richard Jenkins, Bengal Cavalry. Dated 20th February, 1871.

Major Charles Nedham, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 28th February, 1871.

To be Major.

Captain Alexander Ansdell Gordon, Madras Cavalry. Dated 20th January, 1871.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Frederick Thomas Humfrey, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 26th September, 1868.

Lieutenant James McKay MacDonald, Madras Infantry. Dated 28th September, 1870.

Lieutenant James Kelly, Madras Infantry. Dated 28th September, 1870.

Lieutenant James L. N. Willis, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 13th November, 1870.

Lieutenant Henry John Nuthall, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 19th November, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles Alexander Edward Stapleton Carter, Bengal Infantry. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant William Stenhouse, Madras Infantry. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Lieutenant William Willcocks, Bengal Infantry. Dated 30th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Arthur C. Crookshank, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 11th January, 1871.

Lieutenant James May, Bengal Infantry. Dated 20th February, 1871.

Lieutenant Alexander Bredin, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 11th March, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Willoughby Gabb, Bombay Cavalry. Dated 27th March, 1871.

Lieutenant Elphinstone Waters Begbie, Madras Infantry. Dated 4th April, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Rawson Oxley, Madras Infantry. Dated 4th April, 1871.

Lieutenant William Lancaster Ranking, Madras Infantry. Dated 4th April, 1871.

Major George Richard Westmacott, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel; Captain Thomas Hawkins Turner, Bombay Staff Corps, to be Major in succession to General Richard Podmore, Madras Infantry, deceased. Dated 25th July, 1870.

Major Thomas Smith Warden, Bombay Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel; Captain Charles Annesley Benson, Madras Infantry, to be Major in succession to Major-General J. Welchman, C.B., Bengal Infantry, deceased. Dated 9th August, 1870.

Substantive Promotions.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major William Elliot Marshall. Dated 9th December, 1870.

Major Francis Henry Hanmer. Dated 9th December. 1870.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Thomas James, C.B. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Major John Adam Tytler, V.C. Dated 10th December. 1870.

Major Richard Joseph Dickson Ferris. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Major Frederic James Stephenson. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Trevor Wheler. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Mangles James Brander. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Major Frederick John Ellis. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Major Frederick Ernest Laing. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Major Samuel Dewe White. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Major Samuel Black. Dated 29th December, 1870.

Major Charles Henry Hall. Dated 29th December, 1870.

Major John Crauford Millar. Dated 29th December, 1870.

Major George Augustus Cuyler. Dated 29th December, 1870.

Major Arthur Ellis. Dated 29th December, 1870.

Major Frederick Duffin. Dated 29th December, 1871.

Major Alexander Thomas Armstrong. Dated 3rd January, 1871.

Major William Conrad Hamilton. Dated 5th January, 1871.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) John Francis Stafford. Dated 12th January, 1871.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Charles Henry Barchard, C B. Dated 12th January, 1871.

Major Charles Chester Dandridge. Dated 18th January, 1871.

Major Hugh Pigot Williams. Dated 18th January, 1871.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Robert Cogan Cross. Dated 18th January, 1871.

Major Gordon Cavenagh. Dated 18th January, 1871.

Major Henry Ramsay Wroughton. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Huntly Rothery Garden. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Major James Williamson. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Major William Paske. Dated 11th February, 1871.

Major Patrick Maxwell. Dated 11th February, 1871.

Major John Leven. Dated 11th February, 1871,

Major William Charles Robert Mylne. Dated 20th February, 1871.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Herbert Taylor Macpherson, C.B., V.C. Dated 28th February, 1871.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Edward Ham Langmore. Dated 1st March, 1871.

Major Edward Bertie Clay. Dated 2nd March, 1871.

To be Majors.

Captain (Brevet Major) George Charles Depree. Dated 9th December, 1870.

Captain (Brevet Major) Clement John Mead. Dated 9th December, 1870.

Captain Henry Roche Osborn. Dated 9th December, 1870.

Captain Edward Henry Cassan Simpson. Dated 9th December, 1870.

Captain George Bowen Cassan Simpson. Dated 9th December, 1870.

Captain (Brevet-Major) John Hadow Jenkins. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Captain Eugene Clutterbuck Impey. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Captain William Cavendish Bentinck Ryan. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Captain Edward Thornbrough Sadler. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Captain Laurence Henry Williams. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Captain Gilbert James Pasley. Dated 20th December, 1870.

Captain James Vere Hunt. Dated 20th December, 1870.

Captain Charles Ferguson Sharpe. Dated 20th December, 1870.

Captain Thomas Edward Vander-Gucht. Dated 20th December, 1870.

Captain Brooke Rynd Chambers. Dated 20th December, 1870.

Captain Clarence Comyn Taylor. Dated 20th December, 1870.

Captain (Brevet-Major) Charles Tatham Hitchins. Dated 7th January, 1871.

Captain Charles Edward Orman. Dated 11th January, 1871.

Captain Halford Fellowes. Dated 11th January, 1871.

Captain Charles Peter Hunter. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain John Gillespie. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain Charles MacFarlane. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) John Pringle Sherriff. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain Alexander Howe Bramley. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain William Phaire. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain Lionel H Planta De Hochpied Larpent. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain Frederick Macnaghten Armstrong. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain Archibald Edwards Campbell. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain Thomas James Watson. Dated 20th February, 1871.

Captain Mansfeldt George Smith. Dated 10th April, 1871.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Howard James Barton. Dated 26th October, 1870.

Lieutenant William Jackson Parker. Dated 4th November, 1870.

Lieutenant John William Taylor. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Walter Ernest Forbes. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Francis William Collis. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Lieutenant William Barron. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant William James Wemyss Muir. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant George Buckley Stevens. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Clayton Turner Lane. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Edward Newberry. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant William Saurin Brooke. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles McNeile. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant John Munro Sym. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles Sangster De Fermoy Roche. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Arthur Gore Handcock. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant David Ross Clarke. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles Stewart Pratt. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Frederick Henry Alexander. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant William George Maitland. Dated 26th December, 1870.

Lieutenant John Henry Baldwin. Dated 26th December, 1870.

Lieutenant David Adamson. Dated 5th January, 1871.

Lieutenant Wigram Battye Arthur Fergusson. Dated 6th January, 1871.

Lieutenant Lindsay Henry George Becher. Dated 6th January, 1871.

Lieutenant Alexander James Donnelly Hawes. Dated 6th January, 1871.

Lieutenant Robert Moseley Boyce Thomas. Dated 6th January, 1871.

Lieutenant Edmond Pipon Ommanney. Dated 6th January, 1871.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Edward H. Ernest Kauntze. Dated 7th January, 1871.

Lieutenant Benjamin Parnell Bromhead. Dated 18th January, 1871.

Lieutenant Donald Darroch. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Lieutenant James Salisbury Tait. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Arthur C. Crookshank. Dated 29th January, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Bridges. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Lieutenant Steuart Colquhoun Mac Tier. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Lieutenant James Ludlow Ferris. Dated 4th March, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry Williams John Senior. Dated 4th March. 1871.

Lieutenant Alexander Baber Douglas. Dated 20th April, 1871.

Lieutenant Thomas Fraser Bruce. Dated 20th April, 1871.

BENGAL ARMY.

Late 1st European Cavalry.

Lieutenant Fendall Currie to be Captain. Dated 14th September, 1870.

Late 3rd European Cavalry.

Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) Henry Charles Kemble to be Captain. Dated 22nd February, 1871.

General List of Cavalry Officers.

Lieutenant Herbert Henry Paterson Cowper to be Captain. Dated 25th January, 1871.

General List of Infantry Officers.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Charles Hyder Forster. Dated 22nd August, 1870.

Lieutenant Alfred James Stead. Dated 16th October, 1870.

Lieutenant Frank Bird Morris. Dated 4th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Henry Wylie. Dated 13th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Edward Millett Forbes. Dated 5th January, 1871.

Lieutenant Arthur Benjamin Clare. Dated 22nd February, 1871.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

To be Surgeons Major.

Surgeon John Barclay Scriven. Dated 11th January, 1871.

Surgeon Joseph Walter Raleigh Amesbury. Dated 20th January, 1871.

To be Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon William Edward Allen. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Rivers Mantell, M.B. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Edwin Clement Bensley. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon James Fawcus, M.D. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas William Sheppard. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon John Ellis, M.B. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Edric Selous. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Charles Peter Costello. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon James John Durant. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Ferdinand Odevaine. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon George Grant, M.B. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon George Cochet Chesnaye. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon John Duncan, M.B. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Edward Ord Tandy. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Francis Parsons. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Frederick George Constant, M.D. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon James Hunt Condon. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon William Roe Hooper. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Mark Henry Lackersteen, M.D. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Henry Seymour Smith, M.B. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Admiralty, 15th August, 1871.

Frederick Bush, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant John G. J. Lenox in the Royal Sussex Artillery Militia. Dated 4th August, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sussex.

Artillery Battalion of the Royal Sussex Militia.

Charles Robert Balfour Sinclair, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 4th August, 1871.

Malcolm Fraser, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 4th August, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

Fife Artillery Militia.

William Baird to be Captain, vice Curwen, resigned. Dated 12th August, 1871.

Alexander Thomson to be Captain, vice Inglis, deceased. Dated 12th August, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain Erasmus Salwey, of the Shropshire

Militia, retaining his rank and being permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on retirement. Dated 19th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Salop.

Shropshire Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Nathaniel Kyrle Collins to be Captain, vice Salwey, resigned. Dated 21st July, 1871.
Herbert Richard Lovett, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Collins, promoted. Dated 21st July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Aberdeen.

Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.

George Cosmo Abercromby to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th July, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty's Lieutenants for the City of London have been pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Thomas Henry Scarborough in the Royal London Militia. Dated 15th August, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 22, 1871.

Her Majesty's Most Gracious Speech, delivered by the Lords Commissioners to both Houses of Parliament, on Monday, August 21, 1871.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

THE time has now arrived when I am enabled to release you from your attendance in Par-

liament, and to commend your unwearied labours for the public good.

I acknowledge with satisfaction the loyal readiness with which you have made provision for my beloved children, Princess Louise and Prince Arthur.

The great events and important changes, which have recently occurred on the Continent of Europe, have not compromised the friendly relations subsisting between the Crown of the United Kingdom and Foreign Powers. Whatever part I may take in those international questions which from time to time may arise, will continue to be taken with no other view than the maintenance of general concord and public right.

The Conference which was sitting in London at the commencement of the Session was joined during its deliberations by a French Plenipotentiary, and it considered and agreed upon a revision of those stipulations of the Treaty of 1856, which concerned the Black Sea and the Bosphorus. I trust that the unanimous decision of the Powers, which has been recorded in a new Treaty, may assist in securing the tranquillity and welfare of the East.

It is with a special satisfaction that I refer on the present occasion to our relations with the United States of America. By the Treaty of Washington, modes of settlement have been fixed for several questions, which had long remained in dispute.

My communications with the American Government have not been without the promise of advantage to other countries. The President has concurred with me in an application of that principle of amicable reference which was proclaimed by the Treaty of Paris, and which I rejoiced to have had an opportunity of recommending by example. And we have also agreed in the adoption of cer-

tain rules for guiding the maritime conduct of neutrals which may I trust ere long obtain general recognition and form a valuable addition to the code of International Law.

I place full reliance upon the disposition of the American Government to carry forward with cordiality and zeal the subsidiary arrangements which have been determined on for the execution of the Treaty.

I shall apprize the Parliament of Canada that the provisions which require its consent are, in my view, highly conducive to the interests of the Dominion. On these provisions, however, that Parliament will pass an independent and final judgment.

The Government of France has signified its desire to alter some of the provisions of the Commercial Treaty of 1860, which is now terminable, upon a notice of twelve months, by either of the Contracting States. I am anxious to meet the wishes of a friendly Power, and to give scope for any measures calculated to meet its fiscal exigencies; but I should witness with concern any change of a nature to restrict that commercial intercourse between the two countries which has done so much for their closer union.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

I thank you for the liberal supplies which, under the circumstances of the year, I directed my Government to ask from you; and for the sum of money you have voted in order to meet the charge of the compensations required by the abolition of Purchase in the Army.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

I observe with concern that you have not been able to bring to a definitive issue the treatment of some of the subjects which were recommended to

you in the Speech from the Throne at the opening of the Session.

But several important laws have been added to the Statute Book.

By the Army Regulation Bill you have made a liberal provision for the Officers of the Army, who will no longer be permitted on retirement to sell their commissions to their successors, and by transferring to the Executive Government powers in respect to the Auxiliary Forces, which have hitherto been vested in the Lords Lieutenants of Counties, you have laid the foundation for measures calculated to effect a closer union among the various Land Forces of the Kingdom.

The Act by which, after a full examination of the facts, you conferred extraordinary powers on the Viceroy of Ireland for the repression of agrarian outrage in Westmeath, has thus far answered its purpose. Elsewhere in that portion of the United Kingdom there is a gratifying immunity from crime, and agriculture and trade are prosperous.

By the measures relating to University Tests, to the repeal of the Ecclesiastical Titles Act, and to the laws which affect Trades Unions, you have brought to a conclusion long continued and serious controversies.

The Local Government Board Act will, I trust, prepare the way for important sanitary and administrative improvements: and the Act relating to the Judicial Committee will supply a much needed element of strength to an important tribunal, and afford a prospect of clearing away a serious arrear of appeals now before the Privy Council.

But there is every likelihood that for a long time to come, the great and varied interests of the United Kingdom and of the Empire at large, together with the extending demands of modern society, may prevent any lightening of the honourable but arduous burdens of legislation.

The condition of the Revenue, the revived activity of Trade, and the prospects of the Harvest, are subjects for congratulation; and I trust that these and all other bounties of Providence will ever meet their fitting acknowledgment in the hearts of a grateful people.

Then a Commission for proroguing the Parliament was read; after which the Lord Chancellor said:

My Lords and Gentlemen,

By virtue of Her Majesty's Commission, under the Great Seal, to us and other Lords directed, and now read, we do, in Her Majesty's name, and in obedience to Her commands, prorogue this Parliament to Tuesday, the seventh day of November next, to be then here holden; and this Parliament is accordingly prorogued to Tuesday, the seventh day of November next.

At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 19th day of *August*, 1871.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, Sir Edward Thornton, K.C.B., was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 19th day of *August*, 1871.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, under "The Local Government Board Act,

1871," to appoint the Right Honourable James Stansfeld, President of the Local Government Board.

At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 19th day of *August*, 1871.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint Adam Rankine, Esquire, B.A., of Balliol College, Oxford, to be one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 19th day of *August*, 1871.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS it is expedient to amend the Order in Council of the 4th June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, whereby rules were laid down for testing the qualifications of persons proposed to be appointed to situations or employments in Her Majesty's Civil Establishments:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth order, and it is hereby ordered—

I. In section two of the said Order, the words "until he shall have been reported by the said "Commissioners to be qualified to be admitted on "probation to such situation or employment" are hereby cancelled; and instead thereof, the words

"until a certificate of his qualification shall have "been issued by the Civil Service Commissioners" shall be substituted.

II. Clause six of the said Order is hereby cancelled; and instead thereof shall be substituted the following clause—

"After the candidate has passed his examination, and his certificate of qualification has been "issued by the Commissioners, he shall enter on "a six months' period of probation, during which "his conduct and capacity in the transaction of "business shall be subjected to such tests as may "be determined by the Chief of the Department "for which he is intended; and he shall not be "finally appointed to the public service, unless "his six months' probation shall furnish to the "Head of his Department satisfactory proof of "his fitness to be permanently employed in that "Department."

III. A report by the Commissioners under the Order in Council of the 4th June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, that a person is qualified to be admitted on probation to a situation or employment, if given before the date of this Order in Council, shall, for the purposes of this present Order in Council, be deemed to be a certificate of qualification.

Edmund Harrison.

At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 19th day of *August*, 1871.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS in pursuance of Her Majesty's Order in Council, dated fourth June, one thousand eight hundred and seventy, Her Majesty's

Civil Service Commissioners therein named have framed, and the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have approved, sundry Regulations for testing the qualifications of persons proposed to be appointed to situations or employments in Her Majesty's Civil Establishments, and part of such regulations (viz., the regulations contained in the schedule hereto) relate to Temporary Writers, whose services are not confined to any single Civil Establishment, but who represent, to whatever establishment they may happen for the time being to be attached, the same description of labour;

And whereas it is expedient to place at the service of every Department where Temporary Writers are for the time being needed, persons whose wages and conditions of employment are the same;

Now therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, doth order, and it is hereby ordered as follows, viz.: –

I. That no Temporary Writers be attached henceforth to any Establishment of Her Majesty's Civil Service except in conformity with the annexed Regulations, or with such further Regulations as the said Civil Service Commissioners may, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, issue in execution of their powers in that behalf.

II. That a week's notice, which may, at the discretion of the Chief of the Department, be extended to a month's notice, be given to all acting writers (except such as fall within the terms of Clause III. of this present Order) who are not willing to continue their service upon the terms of the Regulations hereto appended.

III. That temporary writers heretofore certificated by the Civil Service Commissioners for service in any particular Department, and temporary

writers now borne upon the Register of the Civil Service Commissioners, who have been respectively serving in the same Department continuously from a date preceding 4th June, 1870, be excepted from Clause II and be retained, but only so long as their services are required in the same Department, at the salary or wages, and on the other terms, which they were actually receiving, and were actually subject to, on 4th June, 1870, without any addition thereto, or alteration therein, on account of service following that date.

IV. That Departments connected immediately with Courts of Justice, or with the Registration of legal titles or instruments, be excepted from this Order so long as the Chiefs of such Departments shall not have signified their consent to be bound by it.

Edmund Harrison.

SCHEDULE referred to in the preceding Order in Council

Regulations respecting Temporary Writers in Public Departments.

(To take effect from and after the first day of June. one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, until otherwise ordered.)

1. A Register of Writers will be kept by the Civil Service Commissioners. Such Writers will be employed in the Public Departments when wanted. When not wanted, they will have no claim to employment: refusing to serve when called upon, they will be removed from the Register.

2. Writers will be subject to the orders of the Departments in which they are serving during the time of their actual employment, but they will be

under the Civil Service Commissioners, and paid by them, from week to week, or day to day, as circumstances may require.*

3. Writers must satisfy the Civil Service Commissioners that they are of good health and character, and that they are duly qualified under the following regulations (4 and 5).

4. The limits of age will be :—

(*a*) For Men Writers,—over 18.

(*b*) For Boy Writers,—14 to 18.

5. The subjects in which Candidates will be tested are :—

MEN-WRITERS :

OBLIGATORY.

1. Handwriting
2. Orthography.
3. Copying Manuscript.
4. Copying Figures and Tabular State ments.

OPTIONAL.

5. Arithmetic.

BOY-WRITERS :

1. Handwriting.
2. Orthography.

6. Examinations, for the purpose of testing the qualifications of Candidates in the above-mentioned subjects, will be held by the Civil Service Commissioners from time to time as may be necessary and a certain number, regulated by the probable demand from the Public Departments, of those who display the requisite amount of proficiency,

* For the present, Writers engaged for more than a week at a time in one Department will be paid by that Department, and not by the Civil Service Commissioners.

will be placed upon the Register kept by the Commissioners.

7. The fee payable by persons attending these examinations will be 5s. for each person in class (*a*) and 2s. 6d. for each person in class (*b*).

8. Writers placed upon the Register will be eligible for employment in any Department. They will be summoned for employment when and for such time as their services may be needed; the order in which they may be employed, and the Departments to which they may be assigned, being determined on each occasion by the Civil Service Commissioners.

9. The engagement of all Writers, not engaged for a shorter period, will be by the week. Writers may also be engaged by the day, or the hour, as may be found advisable. Boy-Writers will not be retained as such, after they shall have reached the age of 19.

10. The pay of Men-Writers, engaged by time, will be at the rate of 10d. per hour. No greater number of hours than those constituting an official day in each Department may be charged for without previous authority from the chiefs of the Department. Those engaged by the piece will be paid at the rate of 1½d. for every 100 words well and correctly copied, or at such other rates for special kinds of work as may be determined by the Civil Service Commissioners with the approval of the Commissioners of the Treasury.

11. No service, however much it may happen to be prolonged, will confer any claim to superannuation or compensation allowance.

12. The remuneration of Boy-Writers engaged by time will be at the rate of 4d. per hour; an addition of ½d. per hour being allowable by the Civil Service Commissioners at the end of each year of approved service. Should any Boy-

Writers be engaged by the piece they will be paid at such rates as may be fixed by the Civil Service Commissioners with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury.

13. When a writer has a week's pay to receive he shall lose no part of it for days on which the office is shut for public holidays. With this exception, writers will only receive pay for the hours or part of hours, during which they actually attend.

14. No person who has been trained, either wholly or partially, at the public expense, for the occupation of a teacher in schools in connection with the Committee of Council for Education, or the Board of National Education, Ireland, is eligible for employment as a writer unless he shall have first obtained the consent of the Treasury.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, August 21, 1871.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle are now open to the public, under the usual regulations.

Whitehall, August.21, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Richard Wallace, of Hertford House, Manchester-square, in the parish of Saint Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., and to the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

Whitehall, August 15, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Thomas John Jones, of Grovehill, in the parish of Suckley, in the county of Worcester, Gentleman, only son and heir of John Jones, late of Kidderminster, in the said county, Banker, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he may, in compliance with a clause contained in a codicil to the last will and testament of Francis Williams, late of Laughern Hill, in the parish of Wichenford, in the said county of Worcester, and of the city of Worcester, Esquire, deceased, henceforth take and use the surname of Williams, in addition to and after that of Jones, and also bear the arms of Williams; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

India Office, 21*st August*, 1871.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps, and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Arthur Jacob Macan Rainey. Dated 3rd December, 1870.

Major James Michael. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Major Andrew Robert Clephane. Dated 29th December, 1870.

Major Robert Griffith Lewes. Dated 29th December, 1870.

Major Edward Owen Leggatt. Dated 3rd January, 1871.

Major Edward Lloyd Malcolm Evans. Dated 3rd January, 1871.

Major John Collins Macdonald. Dated 11th January, 1871.

Major George Archimedes Searle. Dated 12th January, 1871.

Major Francis John Wilson. Dated 12th January, 1871.

Major William Boardman. Dated 12th January, 1871.

Major Richard Alexander Moore. Dated 18th January, 1871.

Major Walter Weldon. Dated 18th January, 1871.

Major Charles Edward Bates. Dated 18th January, 1871.

Major Henry John Thomas Neild. Dated 18th January, 1871.

Major George William Playfair. Dated 18th January, 1871.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Thomas Sweet. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Major William Alexander Deey. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Major Nathaniel Frederic Bayly. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Major John Richard Gason Magrath. Dated 3rd February, 1871.

Major Robert John Baker. Dated 11th February, 1871.

Major William Barclay. Dated 11th January, 1871.

Major John Wood Rideout. Dated 2nd March, 1871.

Major William Rose. Dated 2nd March, 1871.

Major Henry Charles Zachary Claridge. Dated 2nd March, 1871.

Major Arthur Evan Bower. Dated 19th March, 1871.

To be Majors.

Captain Thomas Wakefield. Dated 11th January, 1871.

Captain Henry Seymour Robinson. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain William Moore Lane. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain Thomas Beone Everest Tennant. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain Seafield Falkland Murray Treasure Grant. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain Henry Crosby Barry Barnett. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Captain George Carr Hodding. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Captain William George Ward. Dated 10th February, 1871.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Elliott Armstrong Bruce. Dated 6th January, 1871.

Lieutenant William John Pickance. Dated 6th January, 1871

Lieutenant Henry Edward Ackland Lawford. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Lieutenant Loudoun Francis Campbell. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Lieutenant Edward Persse. Dated 4th March, 1871.

Lieutenant Frederick Alexander Stoton. Dated 4th April, 1871.

MADRAS ARMY.

General List of Cavalry Officers.

Lieutenant Francis Montgomery Onslow. Dated 15th December, 1870.

General List of Infantry Officers.

Lieutenant Charles Bean Smith. Dated 30th November, 1870.

Medical Officers.

To be Surgeon Major.

Surgeon John Thomas Williams. Dated 20th December, 1870.
Surgeon Alexander Adam Renton. Dated 20th January, 1871.
Surgeon John Anderson Cox, M.D. Dated 10th February, 1871.

To be Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon John Bilderbeck. Dated 10th February, 1871.
Assistant-Surgeon Robert Edmund Pearse. Dated 10th February, 1871.
Assistant-Surgeon George Dalziel Riddell. Dated 10th February, 1871.
Assistant-Surgeon Æneas McLeod Ross. Dated 10th February, 1871.
Assistant-Surgeon Joseph Dougall. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Admiralty, 19th August, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February,

1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their rank from the dates stated against their names :—

Lieutenant Charles Alfred Woodroffe, from the 9th instant.

Lieutenant Thomas Tarleton Hodgson, from the 11th instant.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain Lord Kirkwall, of the Royal Bucks Yeomanry Cavalry, continuing to wear the uniform of the Regiment on retirement.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Bucks.

Royal Bucks Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Nathaniel Meyer de Rothschild to be Lieutenant, vice E. C. Clayton, promoted. Dated 12th August, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

West Essex Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Augustus Frederick Perkins to be Captain. Dated 16th August, 1871.

Cornet John Edward Chapman Mathews to be Lieutenant, vice Perkins, promoted. Dated 16th August, 1871.

Hervey Foster, Gent., to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 16th August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, *and of the City and County of the City of* Gloucester, *and of the City and County of the City of* Bristol.

Royal South Gloucestershire Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Lionel Seymour Benson, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th August, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hertford.

Hertfordshire Regiment of Militia.

James Blenkinsop, Gent, to be Supernumerary Lieutenant, vice Williams, promoted. Dated 16th August, 1871.

Herts Yeomanry Cavalry.

Joseph Woodwards, Gent., to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York *and of the City and County of the City of* York.

5th Regiment of West York Militia.

Reginald Molesworth Simpson, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Norman, resigned. Dated 8th August, 1871.

Hussar (Princess of Wales's Own) Regiment of Yorkshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant the Honourable Marmaduke Constable Maxwell to be Captain, vice the Earl of Feversham, resigned. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Cornet William Wickham Wickham to be Lieutenant, vice Maxwell, promoted. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Cornet the Honourable William Thomas Orde Powlett to be Lieutenant, vice York, resigned. Dated 27th July, 1871.

2nd West Regiment of Yorkshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Frederick Ripley, Gent., to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 28th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

Queen's Own Royal Regiment of Staffordshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Charles Bagnall to be Lieutenant, vice Griffith, resigned. Dated 30th May, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 25, 1871.

India Office, 24*th August*, 1871.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, made by the Governments in India :—

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Arthur Frederick Battye. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Major William Young Herries Shortt. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Herbert Henderson James. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Major Samuel Crozier Law. Dated 28th December, 1870.

Major Frederick Laing Mackeson. Dated 3rd January, 1871.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Thomas Smith Warden. Dated 3rd January, 1871.

Major George Edward Thomas. Dated 3rd February, 1871.

Major William Creagh. Dated 3rd February, 1871.

Major Joseph Miles. Dated 3rd February, 1871.

Major John Miles, Dated 3rd February, 1871.

Major James Turner Hill. Dated 18th February, 1871.

Major Walter Theodore Chitty. Dated 1st April, 1871.

Major Thomas Mowbray Baumgartner. Dated 4th April, 1871.

To be Majors.

Captain Alexander Wardrop. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Captain Thomas Bell. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Captain Stewart Fellowes. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Captain James Arthur Gayer. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Captain George Ralph Collier Westropp. Dated 20th December, 1870.

Captain John Henry Castell. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain William Thomas Mills. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain Lester Horatio Sibthorpe. Dated 20th January, 1871.

Captain Philip Harrison Le Geyt. Dated 20th February, 1871.

Captain (Brevet Major) Croft Augustus Charles Hawkins. Dated 20th March, 1871.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Arthur Poole. Dated 11th November, 1870.

Lieutenant Samuel Gwinton Jacob. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Francis Ward Major. Dated 10th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles Willis Godfrey. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Stratford Morrison Hay. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Cecil FitzHenry Lewis Way. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Henry Lowther Nutt. Dated 11th December, 1870.

Lieutenant Arthur Rowley Heyland. Dated 31st December, 1870.

Lieutenant Charles Drummond Pasmore Payne. Dated 12th January, 1871.

Lieutenant William Reynolds. Dated 12th January, 1871.

Lieutenant Percival Downton Malden. Dated 27th January, 1871.

Lieutenant Richard Westmacott. Dated 19th March, 1871.

Lieutenant William Arthur Salmon. Dated 12th April, 1871.

BOMBAY ARMY.

Infantry.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Major-General) Alexander Robert Manson. Dated 27th October, 1870.

Lieutenant - Colonel (Brevet - Colonel) Edward Patrick Lynch, K.S.I. Dated 21st February, 1871.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Stanley De Burgh Edwardes. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Major William Atherton Park. Dated 21st February, 1871.

2nd Native Infantry.

Captain George Henry William Fagan to be Major. Dated 4th February, 1871.

General List of Infantry Officers

To be Captains.

Lieutenant John Arthur Rowlandson. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Maxwell Ryes. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Lieutenant James Fortnom Willoughby. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Lieutenant William Edward Simpson. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Lieutenant Robert Austin Prideaux. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Lieutenant Freeman Henry Jackson. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Lieutenant Francis Theodore Stock. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Lieutenant Walter Francis Hume. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Lieutenant Frank Henry Gordon. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Michael Browne. Dated 4th February, 1871.

Lieutenant Reginald Henwell. Dated 21st February, 1871.

Lieutenant James Eyles Gordon. Dated 21st February, 1871.

Captain Simon Sawen Dalmahoy will take rank from 10th October, 1870.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

To be Surgeon-Major.

Surgeon James Bain, M.D. Dated 20th March, 1861.

To be Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon David Simpson, M.D. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Henri Jules Blanc, M.D. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon John Davies. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon William Dymock, B.A. Dated 10th February, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Edward Sexton, M.D. Dated 10th February, 1871.

The dates of the undermentioned Officers' Commissions should be as follows, and not as stated in the Gazettes named:—

London Gazette, 7th November, 1865—Major T. H. Stoddard, 26th October, 1861.

London Gazette, 15th December, 1868—Colonel L. Barrow, C.B., 30th September, 1865.

London Gazette, 15th December, 1868—Colonel G. De Sausmarez, 16th July, 1862.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—Major W. J. Morris, 10th November, 1868.

London Gazette, 20th March, 1866—Major H. M. Boddam, 9th June, 1863.

London Gazette, 20th March, 1866—Major J. P. A. Theobald, 29th March, 1865.

London Gazette, 22nd September, 1868—Lieutenant-Colonel W. H. Lowther, 6th February, 1868.

London Gazette, 22nd September, 1868—Major J. M. Earle, 6th February, 1868.

London Gazette, 22nd September, 1868—Major W. N. Lees, 6th February, 1868.

London Gazette, 22nd September, 1868—Captain W. C. Chowne, 6th October, 1867.

London Gazette, 22nd September, 1868—Captain R. A. Dobbin, 6th February, 1868.

London Gazette, 22nd September, 1868—Captain A. W. Graham, 6th February, 1868

London Gazette, 22nd September, 1868—Captain E. Venour, 6th February, 1868.

London Gazette, 10th May, 1870 — Captain E. G. D. Beagin, 20th January, 1870.

London Gazette, 10th May, 1870—Captain C. de L. Gostling, 20th January, 1870.

London Gazette, 22nd July, 1870—Lieutenant-Colonel J. L. Pearse, 29th February, 1870.

London Gazette, 30th September, 1870—Ensign J. Copeland, 14th March, 1869.

London Gazette, 30th September, 1870—Lieutenant T. J. Bailey, 22nd June, 1867.

London Gazette, 30th September, 1870—Lieutenant J. P. D. Vanrenen, 27th April, 1869.

London Gazette, 4th May, 1869—Captain C. Grant, 24th February, 1867.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—Lieutenant-Colonel W. G. G. Cumming, 22nd April, 1868.

London Gazette, 28th March, 1865—Lieutenant-Colonel C. C. McCullum, 10th January, 1863.

London Gazette, 15th December, 1868—Lieutenant-Colonel A. R. E. Hutchinson, 20th April, 1868.

London Gazette, 15th December, 1868—Lieutenant-Colonel J. S. Frith, 30th January, 1868.

London Gazette, 1st December, 1870—Major R. B. Dundas, 18th November, 1868.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—Captain G. B. P. Alcock, 9th October, 1868.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—Captain H. O. Cumberlege, 8th January, 1870.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—Captain A. Fitzgerald, 9th November, 1868.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—Captain H. C. Greenaway, 10th November, 1868.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—Captain J. Gregory, 10th November, 1868.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—Captain H. Grimes, 16th December, 1868.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—Captain E. G. Newnham, 21st January, 1869.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—Captain H. W. Shoubridge, 31st December, 1868.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—Captain F. W. Simpson, 9th January, 1869.

The names of the undermentioned Officers should be as follows, and not as stated in the Gazettes named:—

London Gazette, 29th April, 1862—Arthur Robert *Edgcome*.

London Gazette, 23rd June, 1868—Andrew Murkett *Blomfield*.

London Gazette, 10th May, 1870—Charles *William* Robert Chester.

London Gazette, 7th June, 1870—David *Birrell*.

London Gazette, 19th July, 1870—*Henry Mein* Wilson.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—Robert *Blair* Kennedy.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869 – Thomas *John* Hudleston Keyes.

London Gazette, 15th December, 1868 – Lestock *Wilson* Stewart.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869 – H. C. *Greenaway.*

London Gazette, 15th December, 1868—Charles *David* Peter Nott.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—J. B. *Thelwall*, C.B.

London Gazette, 28th September, 1869—H. *Rowband.*

Admiralty, 21*st August*, 1871.

The Reverend Lorenzo Shepherd has this day been appointed a Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, *and of the City and County of the City of* Canterbury.

West Kent Militia.

Henry John Conant, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 12th August, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

1*st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.*

Frederick Robertson Aikman, Esq , V.C., Captain half-pay, Indian Army, to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant, vice Alcock, resigned. Dated 28th July, 1871.

2*nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia.*

John Goodall Simkins, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Frederick Finch Mackenzie, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th August, 1871.

I, WILLIAM MONSELL, Her Majesty's Postmaster-General, with the approval of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, given under the hands of two of the said Commissioners, whose names are hereunder signed and written, by virtue of the powers vested in me by "The Post Office Act, 1870," and of every other power enabling me in this behalf, do hereby make and issue the following regulations and directions respecting registered newspapers and book packets sent by post between places within the United Kingdom, the Channel Islands, and the Isle of Man (that is to say):—

As to Newspapers for Inland Transmission.

1. If any registered newspaper shall be posted either singly or in a packet with any enclosure concealed therein, or in the supplement or supplements belonging thereto, such newspaper or packet shall, at the option in each case of the Postmaster-General, be either returned to the sender thereof or forwarded to its destination, and shall in either case be charged with postage at the letter rate of postage, as an unpaid or (as the case may be) an insufficiently paid letter of the same weight. Provided, nevertheless, that this regulation shall not apply to any registered newspaper which shall be posted either singly or in a packet, together with any enclosure transmissible by post as or as part of a book packet,

if the same shall be fully prepaid at the book packet rate of postage.

As to Book Packets for Inland Transmission.

2. If there shall be posted any book packet in a cover not open at both ends, and not easily removable for the purpose of examination, or any book packet containing anything sealed or otherwise closed against inspection, or containing a letter or communication in the nature of a letter written on any part of the packet or the cover thereof, or containing any separate letter or communication in the nature of a letter, not being a circular transmissible as a book packet, or being or containing anything whatever not transmissible as a book packet, such packet shall, at the option in each case of the Postmaster-General, be either returned to the sender thereof or forwarded to its destination, and shall in either case be charged with postage at the letter rate of postage, as an unpaid letter, or (as the case may be) an insufficiently paid letter of the same weight.

3. No book packet shall be forwarded by post (unless by the special permission, in any case or class of cases, of the Postmaster-General), the weight of which shall exceed five pounds, or the dimensions of which shall exceed eighteen inches in length, or nine inches in width, or six inches in depth.

Rescinding of former Regulations and Directions.

4. Nos. 15, 29, 30, and 31, and Nos. 32 to 46, both inclusive, of the regulations and directions made and issued by the Postmaster-General, and bearing date the 26th day of September, 1870, shall be rescinded, revoked, and annulled, on or as from the 5th day of October, 1871.

5. These regulations and directions shall come into operation on the fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

Dated this eighth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. Monsell,
Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

We approve of the foregoing regulations and directions.

W. P. Adam,
W. H. Gladstone,
Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of all powers given to us by the Post Office Acts, or any of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do by this Warrant under the hands of two of us, the said Commissioners, order, direct, and declare as follows:—

1. On all letters transmitted by the post between places within the United Kingdom (not being letters sent to or from parts beyond the seas), or posted in any post town in the United Kingdom addressed to persons or places within such town, or the suburbs thereof (which letters are hereinafter referred to as inland letters), there shall be charged and paid the following rates of postage (that is to say):—

On every inland letter not exceeding one ounce in weight, one penny;

On every inland letter exceeding one ounce and not exceeding two ounces in weight, three halfpence;

On every inland letter exceeding two ounces and not exceeding four ounces in weight, two pence;

On every inland letter exceeding four ounces and not exceeding six ounces in weight, two pence and one halfpenny;

On every inland letter exceeding six ounces and not exceeding eight ounces in weight, three pence;

On every inland letter exceeding eight ounces and not exceeding ten ounces in weight, three pence and one halfpenny;

On every inland letter exceeding ten ounces and not exceeding twelve ounces in weight, four pence;

On every inland letter exceeding twelve ounces in weight, for the first ounce and for every additional ounce or fractional part of an ounce, one penny;

Provided that such postage be prepaid at the time of posting such letters.

2. If no part of the postage on an inland letter shall be prepaid as aforesaid, there shall be charged on such letter a postage of double the amount to which the same would otherwise be liable under this Warrant.

3. If the postage on an inland letter shall be insufficiently prepaid, there shall be charged on such letter an additional postage of double the amount of the deficient postage at the prepaid rate.

4. The postage on any inland letter may be prepaid, either by an adhesive postage stamp or stamps, or by the use of a stamped cover, or in money, but if in money at such post offices only, within such hours only, and under and subject to all such regulations, conditions, and restrictions

as the Postmaster-General shall from time to time think fit and direct.

5. No inland letter shall be forwarded by post (unless by the special permission, in any case or class of cases, of the Postmaster-General), the dimensions of which shall exceed eighteen inches in length, or nine inches in width, or six inches in depth.

6. The Warrant of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, which bears date the 18th day of March, 1865, and so much of two several Warrants of the said Commissioners, which bear date, respectively, the 17th day of March, 1865, and the 7th day of May, 1866, as relate to the dimensions of inland letters, shall be repealed, revoked, and annulled, on or as from the fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, but so, nevertheless, as not to revive any Warrant, or part of a Warrant, of the said Commissioners which has been heretofore repealed, revoked, or annulled.

7. This Warrant shall come into operation on the fifth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the sixteenth day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

W. P. Adam.
W. H. Gladstone.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of AUGUST 29, 1871.

Crown Office, August 28, 1871.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Surrey.

Eastern Division.

JAMES WATNEY, Jun., of No. 13, Hyde Park Gate, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., in the room of Charles Buxton, Esq., deceased.

(C. 779.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 28, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice of the Portuguese Government declaring the port of Riga infected with cholera morbus, and all the Russian ports in the Baltic suspected of the same disease, since the 29th June last; the ports of St. Petersburgh and of the Gulf of Finland continuing in the same sanitary category in which they were placed by the Notice of the 22nd of May of this year.

(C. 780.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, August 28, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a translation of a communication from the Moorish Minister for Foreign Affairs to Her Majesty's Minister at Tangier notifying the Sultan's permission for the exportation of maize, peas, beans, and chick-peas from Morocco during a period of eight months commencing on the 31st ultimo.

(C. 787.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
August 28, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Berlin, a copy of a Decree of the German Emperor providing for the introduction into Alsace and Lorraine on the 1st January, 1872, of Article 33 of the Constitution of the German Empire which runs as follows :—

" Germany forms a Customs and Commercial Territory surrounded by a common frontier of Customs. Those separate portions of territory which on account of their situation are not adapted to being included within the line of Custom-houses are excepted.

" All commodities which are objects of free traffic in one State of the Confederation can be introduced into any other State of the Confederation, and may be subjected to a duty in the latter State only in so far as similar inland products are subject to an inland duty in that State."

With regard to particular Articles it is provided that the instructions in the second paragraph of the preceding Article can be put into operation by Imperial Order previous to the 1st of January, 1872, either with or without restrictions.

War Office, Pall Mall,
29th August, 1871.

The Honourable John Cranch Walker Vivian, Member of Parliament, has been appointed an Under Secretary of State to the Right Honourable Edward Cardwell, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

War Office, Pall Mall,
29th August, 1871.

4th Regiment of Hussars, Captain James Alexander Ford, from the 13th Hussars, to be Captain, vice Alfred Bibby, who exchanges. Dated 30th August, 1871.

11th Hussars, Cornet Lincoln Godfrey Mundy to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice W. S. Lillingston, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 10th May, 1871.

13th Hussars, Captain Alfred Bibby, from the 4th Hussars, to be Captain, vice J. A. Ford, who exchanges. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Royal Artillery, Second Captain Horatio Powys Lane (late Madras) to be Captain, vice W. F. Grey, deceased. Dated 20th June, 1871.

Lieutenant Daniel Vincent Shortland (late Madras) to be Second Captain, vice Lane. Dated 20th June, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Reilly (late Bengal) to be Second Captain, vice H. Girardot, deceased. Dated 29th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Arthur John Rait to be Second Captain, vice V. D. Majendie, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 10th August, 1871.

Lieutenant James Loch (late Bengal) from temporary half-pay, to be Lieutenant, vice Reilly. Dated 29th July, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Robert de la Cour Corbett, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Thomas Rawlings Mould, M.D., promoted on the Staff. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Grenadier Guards, Ensign and Lieutenant Julius Charles Frederick Angerstein has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable Henry Thomas Fraser to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice William John Rous, who retires. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Ensign and Lieutenant Thomas William Viscount Coke, to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice the Honourable H. T. Fraser. Dated 30th August, 1871.

2nd Foot, Lieutenant William Gun Collis to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Woodward, promoted. Dated 19th August, 1871.

The Commission as Adjutant of Lieutenant B. A. Beale to be antedated from 12th May, 1868, to 5th November, 1867, such antedate not to carry back pay.

6th Foot, Major James N. Colthurst, from half-pay, late Depôt Battalion, to be Major, vice Charles Burch Phillipps, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 30th August, 1871.

11th Foot, Lieutenant Hamilton William Wetherell Spooner has been permitted to retire upon temporary half-pay. Dated 30th August, 1871.

15th Foot, Lieutenant Coleridge Grove to be Captain, by purchase, vice Arthur Heaton, who retires. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Ensign Arthur Crowe to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Grove. Dated 30th August, 1871.

16*th Foot*, Captain Anthony Gardner, from half-pay, late 22nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Basil Clifton Westby, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 30th August, 1871.

21*st Foot*, Lieutenant Alfred Thrale Perkins to be Captain, by purchase, vice Evans M. Allen, who retires. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Ensign Frederick Richard Henry Lambart to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Perkins. Dated 30th August, 1871.

22*nd Foot*, Staff Surgeon Leslie Ogilby Patterson to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major Andrew Leith Adams, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 30th August, 1871.

46*th Foot*, Ensign Bingham Fergusson has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 30th August, 1871.

70*th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Humphrey Carden Gillespie, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 30th August, 1871.

80*th Foot*, Ensign John Edward Hale Prior to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice J. B. Ridout, made Supernumerary on being appointed Lieutenant-Instructor at the School of Musketry. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Ensign Bernard Joseph O'Neill Power has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Lieutenant Allan Saunders to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant J. B. Ridout, appointed Lieutenant-Instructor at the School of Musketry. Dated 30th August, 1871.

99*th Foot*, Lieutenant Alexander McArthur Moir to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles Burton, who retires. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Ensign Gerard Roseingrave Wilson Macklin to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Moir. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Medical Department, Surgeon-Major Andrew Leith Adams, M.D., from 22nd Foot, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, vice Staff Surgeon Leslie Ogilby Patterson, appointed to the 22nd Foot Dated 30th August, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Eugene Francis O'Leary to be Staff Surgeon, vice James Alfred Turner, placed on half-pay. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Rawlings Mould, M.D., from the Royal Artillery, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major Anthony Dickson Home, C.B., V.C., seconded. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon John Norman Davis, M.D., from half-pay, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Robert de la Cour Corbett, M.D., appointed to the Royal Artillery. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Alexander Clapperton Macarthur, from half-pay, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Eugene Francis O'Leary, promoted. Dated 30th August, 1871.

Cavalry Depôt, Paymaster and Honorary Major Charles Boyse Roche, from half-pay, late Depôt Battalion, to be Paymaster. Dated 31st May, 1871.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Moubray, of the Royal Artillery, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870. Dated 8th August, 1871.

The following promotions to take place in succession to Lieutenant-General Charles Emilius Gold, who died on the 29th July, 1871 :—

Major-General George William Key, Colonel of the 11th Hussars, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 30th July, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Alexander Macdonell, C.B., from the Rifle Brigade, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 30th July, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major Thomas William Prevost, half-pay, 42nd Foot, and Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Lieutenant - Colonel. Dated 30th July, 1871.

Captain Charles Carpenter, Royal Artillery, to be Major. Dated 30th July, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

The honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel conferred upon Paymaster and Honorary Major Charles Boyse Roche, on his retirement upon half pay from a Depôt Battalion, on 15th October, 1870, which was notified in the Gazette of the 11th October, 1870, has been cancelled, consequent on his re-employment as a Paymaster.—Dated 31st May, 1871.

Admiralty, 25th August, 1871.

Dr. William Henry Colahan and Mr. Frederick Taylor have this day been confirmed as Assistant-Surgeons in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 15th August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berwick.

John Wilson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, *and of the City and County of the City of* Canterbury.

Philip Wykeham Martin, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.

1st Royal Lanarkshire Militia.

John Wild Thackeray, Gent., late Lieutenant 41st Foot, to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.

1st Warwick Militia.

Charles David Myers Gale, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Matthews, resigned. Dated 22nd August, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 1, 1871.

Foreign Office, August 11, 1871.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Alexander James Edmund Cockburn, Bart., Lord Chief Justice of the Court of Queen's Bench, to be the Arbitrator, on the part of Her Majesty, under and pursuant to those stipulations of the Treaty concluded at Washington on the 8th of May, 1871, between Her Majesty and the United States of America, which relate to the settlement of the

claims of the United States upon Great Britain, generically known as the Alabama Claims.

Foreign Office, August 29, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Allyne C. Litchfield as Consul-General at Calcutta for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Hippolyte Nicaise as Consul at Hong Kong for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of M. Pierre Joseph S. Laraque as Consul at Kingston, Jamaica; of M. François Honoré Laraque as Vice-Consul at Kingston, Jamaica; and of M. Theodore Ruete as Vice-Consul at Liverpool, for the Republic of Haiti.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-second year of the reign of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to "extend the Act of the twenty-fourth year of "King George the Third, chapter twenty-six, for "issuing writs during any recess of the House of "Commons, whether by prorogation or adjourn-"ment;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the "time for proceeding to Election during the "Recess:"

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, in the manner required by the said Act, that the Honourable John Cranch Walker Vivian, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Truro, hath accepted the office of Under Secretary to the Right Honourable Edward

Cardwell, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, and has been gazetted thereto in the London Gazette, dated the 29th day of August, 1871, and has thereby vacated his seat; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough of Truro, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this thirty-first day of August, 1871.

J. E. Denison, Speaker.

War Office, Pall Mall,
1st September, 1871.

The third Christian name of the Honourable J. C. W. Vivian, whose appointment as Under Secretary of State was notified on the 29th ultimo, is *Walker*, not *Walter*, as stated in the early copies of the Gazette.

Admiralty, 29*th August*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Paymaster George R. Deighton has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Admiralty, 30*th August*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Charles Henry May has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 17th instant.

Admiralty, 31st August, 1871.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been confirmed as Assistant-Surgeons in Her Majesty's Fleet :—

Henry Adney Bale, with seniority of 16th February, 1870.

Christopher Harvey, with seniority of 15th August, 1870.

Frederic William Laslett, with seniority of 15th August, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

North Durham Militia.

Captain Thomas George Miles to be Major, vice Rich, resigned. Dated 7th August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

West Essex Militia.

Christopher Devonsher Villiers Tuthill, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 5th August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

Fife Artillery Militia.

Frederick Maitland Dougall, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Glamorgan.

Royal Glamorgan Artillery Militia.

Lieutenant-Colonel Evan Morgan to be Honorary Colonel. Dated 19th January, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hertford.

Herts Yeomanry Cavalry.

Frederic George Hobson, Gent., to be Captain. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Philip Monckton Woodcock, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Bayley, resigned. Dated 23rd August, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant John Wedgwood Yeeles in the 3rd Royal Surrey Militia.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

1st Royal Surrey Militia.

William James Holmes Frodsham, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Kingsford, promoted. Dated 24th August, 1871.

EXCHEQUER BILLS.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice to the holders of Exchequer Bills issued under the authority of the Act 24 V., c. 5, and dated the 11th March, 1867, that the Interest thereon for the half-year ending on the 11th September, 1871, will be payable at the Bank of England, on and after the 11th September instant; and that the Interest of such

Exchequer Bills for the following half-year, to March, 1872, will be at the rate of two pounds ten shillings per centum per annum.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall,
1st September, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 5, 1871.

St. James's Palace, September 2, 1871.

THE Chapel Royal St. James's will be closed on Sunday, September 10th, and re-opened for Divine Service on the following Sunday, the 17th.

The Chapel Royal Whitehall will be closed on the 10th and 17th, and re-opened on the 24th instant.

FRANCIS GARDEN, Sub-Dean.

Foreign Office, August 17, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Patrick J. Hughes, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Kiu-Kiang, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Hankow.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint William Gregory, Esq., now Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Tamsuy, to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Canton.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint William S. Frederick Mayers, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Kiu-Kiang.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Martin Dohmen, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul Cancellier at Yedo.

Foreign Office, August 18, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Lewis Joel, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Rosario, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Provinces of Santa Fé, Cordova, Entre Rios, and Corrientes, to reside at Rosario.

Admiralty, 1st September, 1871.

The Reverend John Cox Edwards has this day been appointed a Chaplain and Naval Instructor in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Leicester.

Leicestershire Regiment of Militia.

Henry John Brinsley Manners, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 23rd August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

1st Royal Tower Hamlets (King's Own Light Infantry) Militia.

Charles Francis Hartshorne Beardmore, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant, vice Cole, resigned. Dated 1st September, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 8, 1871.

Whitehall, September 6, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal appointing the Reverend Richard William Church, M.A., to be Dean of the Cathedral Church of Saint Paul, in London, the same being void by the death of Doctor Henry Longueville Mansel, late Dean thereof.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so "much of two Acts made in the tenth and "fifteenth years of the reign of His present "Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the "House of Commons to issue his Warrant to "the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs "for the election of Members to serve in Par-"liament, in the manner therein mentioned, and "for substituting other provisions for the like "purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define "the time for proceeding to Election during the "Recess:"

I do hereby give notice, that the death of Francis William Russell, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the city of Limerick, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this

present Parliament; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said city, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this seventh day of September, 1871.

J. E. Denison, Speaker.

(C. 806.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 5, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Decree which has been issued by the Italian Government, stating that all vessels leaving the south-west shore of the Baltic after the 15th July last, will on their arrival in the ports of the Kingdom of Italy be subjected to quarantine.

(C. 811.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 6, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, translations of Quarantine Notices issued by the Portuguese Government, which declare:—

1. The Port of Antwerp infected with Cholera Morbus since the 16th August, and the other Ports of Belgium suspected of the same disease.

2. The Port of Ceara infected with Yellow Fever since the 29th July.

3. The Ports of the Province of Rio Grande de Norte suspected of Yellow Fever.

4. The Port of Monte Video, and all the other Ports of the Oriental Republic, free from Yellow Fever since the 2nd July; and the Port of Buenos Ayres, and the Ports of the Province of Corrientes, as well as those of the Republic of Paraguay, no longer infected with, but suspected of, the same disease.

5. The Ports of the Province of Mozambique free from Cholera Morbus since the 23rd March, with the exception of the Port of Quilimane, which, from the same date, passes out of the category of infected into that of suspected of the same disease.

6. The Port of Königsberg, which by virtue of the notice of the 18th August was considered suspected of Cholera Morbus, to be considered infected with that disease since the 19th of that month.

(C. 817.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 7, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Carthagena, reporting that all vessels arriving at that port from England will be despatched to a foul lazaretto to perform quarantine; and that all vessels arriving from Scotland and Ireland will be subjected to three days' observation.

War Office, Pall Mall,
8th September, 1871.

2nd Regiment of Life Guards, Troop Corporal-Major John Marshall to be Riding-Master,

vice T. Wake, appointed Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant and Adjutant. Dated 9th September, 1871.

6th Dragoons, Cornet George Gilbert Joseph Thackeray to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Asheton Tonge, who retires. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Royal Artillery, Staff Assistant-Surgeon William Jobson, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Robert Lewer, promoted. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Royal Engineers, Major-General Sir William Erskine Baker, K.C.B. (late Bengal), having rank as Colonel-Commandant, to be Colonel-Commandant, vice General E. Garstin, who died on the 13th July, 1871. Dated 10th March, 1857.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Jenkin Jones (late Bombay) to be Colonel, vice W. R. Dickinson, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 1st September, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major William West Goodfellow, C.B. (late Bombay), to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Jones. Dated 1st September, 1871.

Second Captain Joseph Herbert Bedford (late Bombay) to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Goodfellow. Dated 1st September, 1871.

Lieutenant George Macdonald Cruickshank (late Bombay) to be Second Captain, vice Bedford. Dated 1st September, 1871.

The following alterations to be made in promotions which appeared in the Gazettes of 11th July, 1871, and 18th August, 1871:—

Second Captain James Makgill Heriot Maitland to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major C. J. Darrah, deceased. Dated 22nd June, 1871.

Second Captain Charles Edmund Webber to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Siborne, promoted, Dated 12th July, 1871.

Second Captain Charles Warren, from the Supernumerary List, to be Second Captain, vice Maitland. Dated 22nd June, 1871.

Lieutenant Arthur Blayney Coddington to be Second Captain, vice Webber. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain William Young Lautour to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Sidney Burrard, who retires. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Ensign and Lieutenant Charles Robert Rowley to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Lautour. Dated 9th September, 1871.

1*st Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Henry Comerford, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice James Davis Gunning, appointed to the Staff. Dated 9th September, 1871.

4*th Foot*, Ensign Arthur Lister Chamberlin has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 9th September, 1871.

6*th Foot*, Staff Surgeon Eugene Francis O'Leary to be Surgeon, vice Alexander Dudgeon Gulland, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 9th September, 1871.

19*th Foot*, Lieutenant James Gordon Moir to be Captain, by purchase, vice Stephen Weston Bent, who retires. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Ensign William Wilkinson Scott to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Moir. Dated 9th September, 1871.

25*th Foot*, Lieutenant Samuel Philip Lucas

Konarski to be Captain, by purchase, vice Robert William Thomas Dawson, who retires. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Ensign Arthur de la Poer Beresford-Peirse to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Konarski. Dated 9th September, 1871.

33*rd Foot*, Garrison Serjeant-Major Richard Barry Jupp to be Quartermaster, vice Joseph Mellor, who resigns that appointment. Dated 9th September, 1871.

37*th Foot*, Captain Douglas Alleyne to be Major, by purchase, vice William Worsley Worswick, who retires. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Archibald McDonald Beamish to be Captain, by purchase, vice Alleyne. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Ensign William Parry Monckton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Beamish. Dated 9th September, 1871.

44*th Foot*, Major John Weyland, from half-pay, late Royal Canadian Rifle Regiment, to be Major, vice Frederick William Gregory, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Captain Francis Dalrymple Walters to be Major, by purchase, vice Weyland, who retires. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry George Lefroy to be Captain, by purchase, vice Walters. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Ensign Edward Morrell to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lefroy. Dated 9th September, 1871.

45*th Foot*, Ensign Frederick Percy Gosling has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 9th September, 1871.

51*st Foot*, Ensign John Edmund Audley Harvey to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Frederic Maffett, who retires. Dated 9th September, 1871.

54*th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon James Hector, M.B., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 9th September, 1871.

62*nd Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Duncan William Dunn to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant T. J. FitzSimon, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 4th July, 1871.

70*th Foot*, Paymaster and Honorary Major Graham Egerton Huddleston, from half-pay, late 52nd Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Major Michael Thompson, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 25th August, 1871.

71*st Foot*, Ensign Charles William Morland has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 9th September, 1871.

73*rd Foot*, Lieutenant Richard John Frederick Edgcumbe has been permitted to retire on temporary half-pay. Dated 9th September, 1871.

82*nd Foot*, Lieutenant John Benet Thornton Newbury, from half-pay, late 3rd West Indian Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice James Noel Muller Forsyth, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 9th September, 1871.

93*rd Foot*, Major Thomas Law Roberts, from half-pay, late 99th Foot, to be Major, vice Reginald Stewart Williams, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Rifle Brigade, Lieutenant Richard Frederick Thompson to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant

F. E. Kerr, who resigns that appointment. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, Lieutenant Benjamin Stephen du Jardin to be Captain, without purchase, vice Henry Lewis FitzGerald, deceased. Dated 21st July, 1871.

Ensign Adolphus James Price to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice du Jardin. Dated 21st July, 1871.

Medical Department, Surgeon Alexander Dudgeon Gulland, M.D., from 6th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Eugene Francis O'Leary, appointed to the 6th Foot. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Robert Lewer, from Royal Artillery, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Frederick Tydd Abbott, deceased. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Alexander Neill, from half-pay, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Jobson, M.D., appointed to Royal Artillery. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Assistant Surgeon James Davis Gunning, from 1st Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Henry Comerford, M.D., appointed to the 1st Foot. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Charles Backhouse has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 9th September, 1871.

BREVET.

Colonel William Rice Dickinson, retired full-pay, Royal Engineers (late Bombay), to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 1st September, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Andrée Wylde, Royal Marine Light Infantry, having completed the

qualifying service, with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Order in Council of 13th November, 1858. Dated 23rd August, 1871.

Paymaster and Honorary Major Michael Thompson, retired on half-pay, late 70th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 25th August, 1871.

Paymaster and Honorary Captain John Dunlop, 47th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 16th August, 1871.

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals William Home, M.D., retired on half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 9th September, 1871.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General E. Garstin, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, who died on the 13th July, 1871 :—

Lieutenant-General and Colonel-Commandant Henry Goodwyn, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, to be General. Dated 14th July, 1871.

Major-General and Colonel-Commandant William Barclay Goodfellow, Royal (late Bombay) Engineers, to be Lieutenant-General, vice Goodwyn. Dated 14th July, 1871.

Colonel and Colonel-Commandant Charles Alexander Orr, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, to be Major-General, vice Goodfellow, to be antedated to 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 14th July, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major William McBean, V.C., 93rd Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th July, 1871.

Captain Edmund Charles Domville, half-pay, late Royal Marines, and Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Major. Dated 14th July, 1871.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service, with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870 :—

Lieutenant-Colonel John Augustus Fuller, Royal (late Bombay) Engineers. Dated 20th June, 1871.

Lieutenant - Colonel Valentine Thomas Mairis, Royal Engineers. Dated 3rd August, 1871.

Admiralty, 4th September, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List :—

Assistant Paymasters :

Charles S. Marsh.
John T. Hugo.
George A. Michell.
Alfred T. T. Wise.

Admiralty, 6th September, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Ernest Bannister Wadlow has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 1st instant.

Admiralty, 7th September, 1871.

The Reverend George Cleveland Waller has this day been appointed a Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.

1st Royal Lanarkshire Militia.

Alexander Sprott, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th September, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Ayr.

The Earl of Glasgow to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

The Lord Oranmore and Browne to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Sir William M. Cuninghame, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Major-General Joseph Burnett to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Major Walter Hamilton to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

John William Herbert Cuninghame, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

George Elder, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Richard Alexander Oswald, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

William Finnie, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Charles Frederick Clifton Abney Hastings, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

John Bell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Frederick Gordon Blair, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Captain David Boyle to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

John Barns Graham, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Francis Thomas Romilly Kennedy, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

William Cathcart Smith Cuninghame, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Major Robert Bruce Robertson Glasgow to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, *and of the City of* York, *and County of the same or Ainsty of* York.

4th Regiment of West York Militia.

William Pollard, Esq., late Captain and Adjutant 4th West York Militia, and 17th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant, vice Cairnes, deceased. Dated 24th August, 1871.

5th Regiment of West York Militia.

Harry St. John Jowers, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 7th August, 1871.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major Brougham Loch, C.B., of the 2nd Regiment of Royal Cheshire Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 3rd August, 1871.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Jonathan Rashleigh in the Royal Cornwall and Devon Miners Artillery Militia. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 12, 1871.

(C. 828.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 11, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Constantinople, reporting that the Ottoman Government has declared that all vessels arriving from Russian Ports, even when no case of sickness has occurred during the voyage, will be subjected to ten days quarantine.

A Despatch from Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Sulina also reports that all vessels arriving at that port from the Sea of Azof will be subjected to quarantine.

War Office, Pall Mall, 12th September, 1871.

Royal Engineers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel George Bent, C.B., to be Colonel, vice H. A. White, retired upon full-pay. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major Charles Style Akers to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Bent. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Second Captain Edward Robert Festing, on the Seconded List, to be Captain. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Second Captain George Watts Stockley to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Akers. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry Fyers Turner to be Second Captain, vice Stockley. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Robert Algernon Livesay, from the Seconded List, to be Lieutenant.

BREVET.

Colonel Henry Arthur White, retired full-pay, Royal Engineers, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Admiralty, 8th September, 1871.

Dr. Samuel Haslett Browne has this day been confirmed as an Assistant-Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 15th August, 1870.

Admiralty, 9th September, 1871.

The following Annual promotions from Her Majesty's yacht "Victoria and Albert" have been made, with seniority from the 7th instant:—

Lieutenant Harry Holdsworth Rawson to be Commander.

Sub-Lieutenants:

Frederick George Innes Lillingstone,
William Henry May,
Charles Ramsay Arbuthnot,

to be Lieutenants.

Admiralty, 12th September, 1871.

Rear-Admiral Charles Frederick Alexander Shadwell, C.B., to be Vice-Admiral from the date of his taking command of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels on the China Station and while so employed.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cardigan.

John George Parry Hughes, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1871.
Charles Marshall Griffith, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Adjutant John Lakin, of the Devon Artillery Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Major, and also being placed upon retired allowance from the 15th July, 1870.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Devon.

1st Devon Militia.

Frederick Fortescue Seale to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd August, 1871.
John Fitzgerald Tuthill to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 22nd August, 1871.

South Devon Militia.

Francis Hender Mountsteven to be Superuumerary Lieutenant. Dated 22nd August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

Duke of Lancaster's Own Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Charles Thomas Part to be Lieutenant, vice Walmesley, promoted. Dated 8th August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

John William Marsdin Newton to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 25th August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Southampton.

Hants Artillery Militia.

Samuel Hood Stovin Inglefield, Esq., Lieutenant-Colonel, late Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant, vice Burnaby, deceased. Dated 6th September, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

North Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

John Bradney, Gent., to be Supernumerary Cornet, vice Bailward, resigned. Dated 8th September, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Worcester.

Queen's Own Worcestershire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Henry Foley Vernon to be Captain. Dated 5th September, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 15, 1871.

Whitehall, September 13, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto John Stepney Cowell-Stepney, of Llanelly, in the county of Carmarthen, Esq., and to the heirs male of his body lawfully begotton.

Whitehall, September 14, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend David Winter to the Church of the United Parishes of Auchtergaven and Logiebride, in the presbytery of Dunkeld, and county of Forfar.

Foreign Office, August 12, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Ward, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Memel, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Free City of Bremen and its territory the Grand Duchy of Oldenburg and the Ports and Districts of Emden, Leer, and Geestemünde, in the Province of Hanover, to reside at Bremen.

Foreign Office, September 14, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Máximo Terrero as Consul-General in London for the Republic of Paraguay.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. F. A. Simmers as Consul at Toronto for the German Empire.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of M. Alessandro Cipriano Laloubere as Consul at Kingston, with jurisdiction over the Island of Jamaica and its dependencies, for His Majesty the King of Italy.

Crown Office, September 15, 1871.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Truro.

James Macnaghten Hogg, of No. 26, Grosvenor-gardens, in the county of Middlesex, a Lieutenant-Colonel in Her Majesty's Service, in the room of the Honourable John Cranch Walker Vivian, who has accepted the office of an Under-Secretary of State to the Right Honourable Edward Cardwell, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

War Office, Pall Mall,
15th September, 1871.

Control Department, Assistant Controller John Banner Price has been permitted to commute his retired pay. Dated 21st August, 1871.

Commissary Charles William Eichbaum to be Assistant Controller. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Commissary Gregson Bridgett to be Assistant Controller. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Commissary G. G. Munro to be Assistant Controller. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Deputy Commissary Thomas B. Prissick to be Commissary. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Deputy Commissary Charles E. Wrench to be Commissary. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Deputy Commissary E. K. Dwyer to be Commissary. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Assistant Commissary William R. Taylor to be Deputy Commissary. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Assistant Commissary James Mason to be Deputy Commissary. Dated 1st August, 1871.

The resignation of Deputy Commissary Alexander Williams Anderson, which appeared in the Gazette of 7th March, 1871, has been cancelled.

Deputy Commissary Alexander Williams Anderson has been placed on the Half-pay List (without pay). Dated 1st February, 1871.

Deputy Commissary Alexander Williams Anderson, from the Half-pay List, to be Deputy Commissary. Dated 21st August, 1871.

Admiralty, 14*th September*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas St. J. Clerke, M.D., has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 5th October, 1870.

Commission signed by the Lord Warden of the Stannaries in the Counties of Cornwall *and* Devon.

Royal Cornwall and Devon Miners' Artillery Militia.

Francis John Hext, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th September, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Nottingham.

Royal Sherwood Foresters or Nottinghamshire Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Harvey Charles Tryon to be Captain, vice Fowke, promoted. Dated 7th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Arthur Steffe Crisp to be Captain, vice Lloyd, resigned. Dated 7th September, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

West Suffolk Yeomanry Cavalry.

John George Weller Poley, Gent., to be Cornet. Dated 1st September, 1871.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel John Williams Wallington, of the Royal North Gloucestershire Regiment of Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Colonel.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain Samuel Bomford, of the Royal North Gloucestershire Regiment of Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Major.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 19, 1871.

Buckingham Palace, September 1, 1871.

HER Royal Highness The Princess Louise, Marchioness of Lorne, has been pleased to appoint Captain Frederick Campbell to be Controller of the Household to Her Royal Highness.

(M. 8157.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, September 15, 1871.

THE Board of Trade have received, from Her Majesty's Consul at Cherbourg, a copy of a Notice forwarded to him by the Sanitary Commission of the Department, of which the following is an extract:—

(Translation of Extract).

Cherbourg, September 10, 1871.

As the cholera now prevailing in Russia may be introduced into the ports of the north of Europe, I have the honour to inform you that I have been directed to exercise a special *surveillance* over vessels arriving from these latitudes.

In consequence, I beg you to make known to the masters and owners of vessels which may be despatched to France from English ports that they must, under present circumstances, provide themselves with a bill of health viséd by the French

Consul at the port of departure if they wish to avoid being subjected to a quarantine of observation upon their arrival.

(C. 840.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 18, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, a copy of a Notice issued by the Portuguese Government, declaring the port of Altona infected with cholera morbus since the 21st ultimo, and the Hanseatic Cities, including the ports of Hanover, considered suspected of the same disease from the same date: —Also of a further Notice announcing that the port of Antwerp, which was considered infected with cholera morbus, is now declared suspected of the same disease since the 25th August.

(C. 841.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 18, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General at Tunis, reporting that on and after the 5th November next, a duty of one piastre per cantar will be levied on all sparto grass exported from that Regency.

(C. 850.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 18, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Madrid, reporting that the Spanish Government have issued a Decree declaring that all vessels arriving from England, Cuba, Russia, Prussia, South America, Brazil, Buenos Ayres, Zanzibar, the East Coast of Africa, the Persian Gulf, the French Colonies in Asia, and Fernando Po, will be considered as infected and subjected to quarantine.

The Decree further announces that all vessels arriving in Spanish ports from the undermentioned places will be subjected to quarantine of observation:—Jersey, Guernsey, Antwerp, Gibraltar, the Germanic Confederation (except Prussia), Scotland, Ireland, Cagliari, Rotterdam, the Piræus, St. John's (Newfoundland), Toulon, the West Coast of Africa, Malta, Greece, the Turkish Empire, and Tunis.

(C. 854.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 18, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, reporting that a Notice has been issued by the Portuguese Government, to the effect that the Belgian ports, with the exception of Antwerp which is still considered suspected, are declared free since the 25th ultimo, of cholera morbus.

War Office, Pall Mall,
19*th September*, 1871.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, Troop Corporal-Major James Sharples to be Quartermaster,

vice Herbert Turner, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 20th September, 1871.

3rd Dragoon Guards, Cornet Alexander Bruce Siddons Fraser has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 20th September, 1871.

7th Dragoon Guards, Cornet Charles Synnot Johnstone has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 20th September, 1871.

8th Hussars, Staff Assistant-Surgeon David Arno Smet Thorburn, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Edmund McGrath, promoted on the Staff. Dated 20th September, 1871.

3rd Foot, Ensign Aubrey de Vere Alexander, from 38th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Michael Frederick Fitzgerald Hackett, who exchanges. Dated 20th September, 1871.

4th Foot, Captain William George Graham Glascock, from half-pay, late 3rd West Indian Regiment, to be Captain, vice H. J. M. Williams, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Ensign Frederick Montgomery Gordon Hutchinson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Boyd, who retires. Dated 20th September, 1871.

8th Foot, Lieutenant William Howe Hennis to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry Farquharson, who retires. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Ensign Rowland Oakeley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hennis. Dated 20th September, 1871.

9th Foot, Captain Edmund Kerrich, from the 80th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. L. Bradshaw, who exchanges. Dated 20th September, 1871.

14*th Foot*, Captain De Lacy Richard Frank Wooldridge, from half-pay late 49th Foot, to be Captain, vice Edward J. Briscoe, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 20th September, 1871.

16*th Foot*, Ensign Arthur Cotton Beare to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Pierce Creagh, who retires. Dated 20th September, 1871.

The names of the Captain who retired upon temporary half-pay on the 30th August, 1871, are *Bernard Heyer Westby*, and not *Basil Clifton Westby*, as stated in the Gazette of 29th August, 1871.

17*th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon John Ruxton, M.B., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice George Wellington L'Estrange, appointed to the Staff. Dated 20th September, 1871.

18*th Foot*, Captain Edward Abbott Noblett to be Major, by purchase, vice Richard Pretyman Bishopp, who retires. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Charlton Dawson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Noblett. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Ensign Laurence Richard Dowdall, from 19th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dawson. Dated 20th September, 1871.

38*th Foot*, Ensign Michael Frederick Fitzgerald Hackett, from 3rd Foot, to be Ensign, vice A. de V. Alexander, who exchanges. Dated 20th September, 1871.

43*rd Foot*, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Fiennes M. Colvile, C.B., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel F. H. Synge, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Captain Harry A. Brett to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Colvile. Dated 20th September. 1871.

Lieutenant William Clark to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brett. Dated 20th September, 1871.

47*th Foot*, the honorary rank of Captain conferred on Paymaster John Dunlop to bear date 16th August, 1866, being the date upon which he completed five years' service as Paymaster. Dated 20th September, 1871.

56*th Foot*, Lieutenant George Wilding Wood to be Captain, without purchase, vice Arthur William Turner, deceased. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Ensign William Capel to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Wood. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

70*th Foot*, Staff Surgeon Samuel Fuller to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major Vere Webb, appointed to the Staff. Dated 20th September. 1871.

71*st Foot*, Lieutenant Frederick de Sausmarez to be Captain, by purchase, vice A. W. Spens, who retires. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Ensign Herbert Broke Turnor to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice De Sausmarez. Dated 20th September, 1871.

73*rd Foot*, Captain Arthur Bambrick Mitchell, from half-pay, late Royal Canadian Rifle Regiment, to be Captain, vice E. Beauchamp St. John, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 20th September, 1871.

80*th Foot*, Captain James L. Bradshaw, from 9th Foot, to be Captain, vice E. Kerrich, who exchanges. Dated 20th September, 1871.

97th Foot, Ensign Henry Tryon Wing to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Upperton, who retires. Dated 20th September, 1871.

108th Foot, The second Christian name of Captain Stokes is *Baret*, and not *Barratt*, as hitherto stated. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Medical Department, Surgeon-Major Vere Webb, from 70th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, vice Staff Surgeon Samuel Fuller, appointed to 70th Foot. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Edmund McGrath, from 8th Hussars, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major Francis Reynolds, who retired upon half-pay. Dated 20th September, 1871.

To be Staff Assistant-Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon George Wellington L'Estrange, from the 17th Foot, vice John Ruxton, M.B., appointed to the 17th Foot. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Alexander Crombie, M.B. Dated 1st April, 1871.

George Ballingall Stuart, M.B. Dated 1st April, 1871.

Lewis Allen Irving, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.

John Alexander McCracken, M.D. Dated 1st April, 1871.

James Maybury Beamish, M.D. Dated 1st April, 1871.

James Albert Clery, M.B. Dated 1st April, 1871.

Brodie Cruikshank, M.B. Dated 1st April, 1871.

James Coats, M.B. Dated 1st April, 1871.

John Gover Williamson, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.

Henry Bradford, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.
William James Fawcett, M.B. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Henry William Joynt, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.
William Egerton Saunders, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.
David Leckie, M.B. Dated 1st April, 1871.
William Johnston Charlton, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.
John Ruxton, M.B. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Alfred Henry Authonisz, M.B. Dated 1st April, 1871.
William Tobin, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Oscar Frederick Molloy, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.
William Joseph Moylan, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Richard Exham, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.
William Leavens White, M.B. Dated 1st April, 1871.
James McNamara, M.D. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Rodolphe Harman, M.B. Dated 1st April, 1871.
John Bower Wilson, M.D. Dated 1st April, 1871.
George Dalton Nugent Leake, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Joseph Walter O'Malley Martin, M.B. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Robert Henry Robinson, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Poole Robert Gabbett, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Mathew Daniel O'Connell, M.D. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Charles De Montmorency Palmer, M.B. Dated 1st April, 1871.

Espine Charles Robert Ward, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.

William Finlay, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.

William Price Sullivan, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.

Edward Hearne Joynt, M.D. Dated 1st April, 1871.

John R. Dickson, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1871.

Veterinary Department, Charles Whitney Gillard, Gent., to be Acting Veterinary Surgeon, vice Evans, promoted. Dated 20th September, 1871.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Francis Hutchinson Synge, retired on full-pay, late 43rd Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major A. Nepean, Royal Marine Light Infantry, having been permitted to retire under the provisions of the Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 6th August, 1871.

Quartermaster Herbert Turner, retired upon half-pay, late Royal Horse Guards, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Staff Surgeon-Major Francis Reynolds, who retires upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 20th September, 1871.

The undermentioned Officers, who have retired upon full-pay, to have a step of honorary rank as follows:—

Colonel Edward Arthur Green, Bombay Staff Corps, to be Major-General. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Archibald Duncan McDougall, Madras Infantry, to be Colonel. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Major George William Macauley, Bombay Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Captain John Obbard, Madras Infantry, to be Major. Dated 20th September, 1871.

Admiralty, 18th September, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Alexander C. Gordon has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 10th instant.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Aberdeen.

Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.

Walter Colquhoun Boyd, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, *and of the City and County of the City of* Canterbury.

West Kent Militia.

Charles William Morland, Gent., late Ensign 71st Foot, to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Kent Artillery Militia.

Clement Cuthbert Walter, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 25th August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Pembroke.

Castlemartin Yeomanry Cavalry.

Charles Mathias, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Roch, promoted. Dated 14th September, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

West Suffolk Regiment of Militia.

Warwick Falkland Tryon, Esq., late Lieutenant 64th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 21st September, 1870.

War Office, September 16, 1871.

The Secretary of State for War has appointed William Walter Weld, Esq, Surgeon-Major, to be Visiting Surgeon for Chatham, Gravesend, and Maidstone, under the Contagious Diseases Acts, 1866 to 1869, vice Francis Hastings Baxter, Esq., M.D., Surgeon-Major, appointed Physician and Surgeon to the Royal Hibernian Military School.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 22, 1871.

Crown Office, September 22, 1871.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

City of Limerick.

ISAAC BUTT, of No. 60, Eccles-street, in the city of Dublin, a Queen's Counsel, in the room of Francis William Russell, Esq., deceased.

(C. 860.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 21, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, translations of Decrees issued by the Italian Government, declaring—that all vessels arriving in the ports of that Kingdom from Antwerp and the shores of the Scheldt will be admitted to free pratique, after being inspected by the medical officer and reported free from sickness;—and that arrivals from the Sea of Azof with clean bills of health will be subjected to a quarantine of observation of three days, provided that no case of sickness has occurred on board during the voyage.

War Office, Pall Mall,
22nd September, 1871.

17th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Robert Kiero Watson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Artemus T. Aglen, who retires. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

Ensign Thomas G. Dennis Boles to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Watson. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

Gentleman Cadet Frederick Charles Maisey, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Boles, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military College, to be appointed to Commissions as follows; viz.:—

7th Dragoon Guards, William Edward Morrison Rough to be Cornet, vice Weston, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

8*th Hussars*, Arthur Mark Crofton to be Cornet, vice Miller, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

2*nd Foot*, Charles Essex John Chichester to be Ensign, vice C. J. Dickson, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

8*th Foot*, Henry Meredith Wade to be Ensign, vice Oakeley, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

10*th Foot*, James De Hoghten to be Ensign, vice Tottenham, retired. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

19*th Foot*, George Wingate to be Ensign, vice Scott, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

21*st Foot*, Averell Daniell to be Ensign, vice Lambart, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

William Morton Duckett to be Ensign, vice Falls, promoted. Dated 24th September, 1871.

24*th Foot*, Edward Stevenson Browne to be Ensign, vice Boothby promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

Edward Witherden Curteis to be Ensign, vice Magrath, retired. Dated 24th September, 1871.

25*th Foot*, Hesketh Broderick Prichard to be Ensign, vice Hope, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

John William Godfray to be Ensign, vice Hobday, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 24th September, 1871.

Charles Chester Williams Dandridge to be Ensign, vice Gray, promoted. Dated 25th September, 1871.

Oswald Claude Radford to be Ensign, vice Barns, promoted. Dated 26th September, 1871.

George Thomas William Hewat to be Ensign, vice Dixon, promoted. Dated 27th September, 1871.

28*th Foot*, James Duff Coghlan to be Ensign, vice Francis, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

33*rd Foot*, John Charles Duke to be Ensign, vice Garstin, transferred to the 63rd Foot. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

36*th Foot*. Charles Hogge to be Ensign, vice A. S. M'Rae, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd September, 1871

41*st Foot*. John William Hogge to be Ensign, vice Mackenzie. promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

44*th Foot*. Edward Nash Leahy to be Ensign. vice Morrell, promoted Dated 23rd September, 1871.

49*th Foot*, Justinian Gordon Ponsonby, to be Ensign, vice Dickson, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

Samuel Lindsay Moor Remmington, to be Ensign. vice Young. a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 24th September, 1871.

56*th Foot*. Alfred Fox Cotton to be Ensign, vice Capel promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

57*th Foot*, Alfred Allan Garstin to be Ensign, vice Denton, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

60*th Foot*, Mordaunt Charles Boyle to be Ensign, vice Archer, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

69*th Foot*, Rees John Francis Banfield to be

Ensign, vice Champion-Crespigny, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

Edward Richard Berkeley Ingram to be Ensign, vice Butler, promoted. Dated 24th September, 1871.

71*st Foot*, Ernest Lucas Braithwaite to be Ensign, vice Morland, retired. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

72*nd Foot*, Robert Arnold Vansittart to be Ensign, vice Kane, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

81*st Foot*, Arthur Lawrence Dingwall Fordyce to be Ensign, vice Farrant, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

83*rd Foot*, George Cleaveland to be Ensign, vice Hardtman, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

91*st Foot*, James Latimer Crawshay St. Clair to be Ensign, vice Bishop-Culpeper, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

97*th Foot*, Archibald Montgomerie Hopkinson to be Ensign, vice Doherty, promoted. Dated 23rd September, 1871.

Control Department, The name of the Assistant Controller appointed in the Gazette of 28th January, 1870, is *Galletly*, and not *Galletley*, as then stated.

India Office, 19*th September*, 1871.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps, and of Her Majesty's

Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India :—

BREVET.

Major John Hadow Jenkins, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Walter Elliot Le Geyt, Bombay Cavalry, to be Major in succession to Lieutenant-General Sir Justin Sheil, K.C.B., Bengal Infantry, deceased. Dated 18th April, 1871.

Major Edward Melville Lawford, Madras Cavalry, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, Captain Charles Samuel Steward, Madras Cavalry, to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General Peter Innes, Bengal Staff Corps, deceased. Dated 11th May, 1871.

To be Major.

Captain Gavin Dring Crawfurd, Bengal Infantry. Dated 14th June, 1871.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Richard Peter Blake, Madras Infantry. Dated 20th May, 1871.

Lieutenant Frederick Smalley, Madras Infantry. Dated 20th May, 1871.

Lieutenant George Godfrey, Madras Infantry. Dated 20th May, 1871.

Lieutenant Francis Heskins Winterbotham, Madras Infantry. Dated 20th May, 1871.

Lieutenant Walter Scott Peat, Bombay Cavalry. Dated 27th June, 1871.

SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major James Spence Ogilvie. Dated 13th June, 1871.

Major Christopher James Godby. Dated 13th June, 1871.
Major John Ruggles. Dated 13th June, 1871.
Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Henry Francis Maxwell Boisragon. Dated 14th June, 1871.
Major James Kempt Cowper. Dated 14th June, 1871.
Major William Nembhard. Dated 14th June, 1871.
Major John Beresford Smyly. Dated 14th June, 1871.
Major Etienne St. George. Dated 14th June, 1871.
Major Robert Murray. Dated 14th June, 1871.
Major John Perkins. Dated 16th June, 1871.

To be Majors.

Captain William Siddons Young. Dated 13th June, 1871.
Captain Willoughby Charles Stanley Clarke. Dated 13th June, 1871.
Captain Thomas Walter Rutherfurd. Dated 14th June, 1871.
Captain Willoughby Henry Garton. Dated 14th June, 1871.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant James Waterhouse. Dated 10th June, 1871.
Lieutenant Boyce Edward Gowan. Dated 10th June, 1871.
Lieutenant Henry Ekins Ryves. Dated 11th June, 1871.
Lieutenant James Hay. Dated 11th June, 1871.
Lieutenant (Brevet-Captain) James L. N. Willis. Dated 12th June, 1871.

BENGAL ARMY.

Infantry.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Major-General) William Frost Nuthall. Dated 18th April, 1871.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Arthur James Butt. Dated 1st May, 1871.

Major Francis George Hodgson. Dated 20th May, 1871.

To be Majors.

Captain Richard Smith Gray. Dated 13th June, 1871.

Captain Robert Henry Cunliffe. Dated 13th June, 1871.

Captain Hugh Watson. Dated 13th June, 1871.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant John McMullin. Dated 5th June, 1871.

Lieutenant Thomas Richard Byng. Dated 11th June, 1871.

MADRAS ARMY.

Infantry.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major William Barber. Dated 8th March, 1871.

General List of Infantry Officers.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Elphinstone Waters Begbie. Dated 8th March, 1871.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Archibald William Graham. Dated 14th June, 1871.

Major (Brevet Licutenant-Colonel) Henry Beville, C.B. Dated 14th June, 1871.

Major Joseph Hume Spry Pierce. Dated 14th June, 1871.

To be Majors.

Captain Cecil David James Dodd. Dated 13th June, 1871.

Captain Robert Russell Woodhouse. Datcd 13th June, 1871.

Captain Henry Vaughan. Dated 14th June, 1871.

Captain James Houlbrooke Drummond. Dated 14th June, 1871.

Captain John Shand Douglas Bolton. Dated 14th June, 1871.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant James Henry Latham Greenfield. Dated 1st June, 1871.

Lieutenant George Edward Hancock. Dated 10th June, 1871.

Lieutenant Francis Hastings Toone Gordon Cumming. Dated 10th June, 1871.

Lieutenant James Lawtie Fagan. Dated 11th June, 1871.

Lieutenant George Freak Bryant. Dated 27th June, 1871.

BOMBAY ARMY.

Medical Officer.

To be Surgeon-Major.

Surgeon Thomas Berkeley Beatty, M.D. Dated 20th May, 1871.

Resignation.

Captain William George Keppel, Bengal Staff Corps.

Memorandum.

The admission of Captain T. R. D. Bingham, to the Bengal Staff Corps, as *Lieutenant*, should have been previously gazetted, and dated 3rd May, 1864.

Memoranda.

Her Majesty has been graeiously pleased to aceept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Janson in the East York Militia, and to approve of him retaining his rank on retirement and eontinuing to wear the uniform of the Regiment.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant the Right Honourable Joselin Francis, Lord Muncaster, in the Yorkshire (Princess of Wales's Own) Hussars.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the East Riding of the County of York, *and the Borough of* Kingston-upon-Hull.

East York Regiment of Militia.

The Right Honourable Joselin Francis, Lord Muncaster, late Captain 60th Foot, to be Lieutenant - Colonel - Commandant, viee Janson, resigned. Dated 19th August, 1871.

William Henry Grimston, Esq., late Captain 13th Foot, to be Major. Dated 19th August, 1871.

Memorandum.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain William Munro, late Adjutant of the Galloway Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Major.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 26, 1871.

Foreign Office, September 9, 1871.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Robert Hamilton Lang, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Island of Cyprus, to reside at Larnaca.

Foreign Office, September 22, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Senor Francisco de Paula Suarez as Consul-General in London for the Republic of Bolivia.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Matthew McDougall as Consul at Dundee for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Michael Joseph Coll as Consul at Gibraltar for His Majesty the King of the Hellenes.

India Office, September 22, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir Walter Morgan, Knt., to be Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature at Madras.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Robert Stuart, Esq., Q.C., to be Chief Justice of the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces of the Presidency of Fort William.

(C. 870.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 25, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a telegram from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Constantinople, stating that, in consequence of the appearance of cholera, vessels leaving that city will receive foul bills of health.

(C. 874.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, September 25, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Copenhagen, reporting that an Industrial and Fine Arts Exhibition is to be held in that city in 1872. This Exhibition is to be confined almost exclusively to exhibitors who are natives of Sweden, Norway, and Denmark. Foreigners are permitted, however, to exhibit the following industrial products:—

(1.) Machinery and implements of recent invention, more especially such as may be considered to have some important bearing on the industry of the three Northern Kingdoms.
(2.) Manufactured articles and products of new descriptions, or produced by a new method.
(3.) Manufactured articles and products which have not been hitherto produced in the three Northern Kingdoms.

Foreign exhibitors taking advantage of the above permission will have to conform to the rules and regulations issued by the Committee, who shall have the right of deciding whether such foreign articles can be exhibited in the Exhibition building itself, or whether the exhibitors themselves shall be called upon at their own expense to provide the necessary show-rooms.

(C. 877.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 25, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Malaga, reporting that that port is not qualified for the performance of quarantine of any kind; that vessels arriving there from ports reputed as foul are immediately sent away to a foul lazaret at Vigo, Tambo, or Port Mahon, and that vessels coming from suspected ports are dismissed to one of the neighbouring observation lazarets of Almeria or Cadiz.

Her Majesty's Consul at Malaga recommends that masters of vessels coming to that port from Great Britain, Northern Europe, or America, should touch at Vigo or Tambo, and those from the Upper Mediterranean and Levant, should call at Port Mahon, at which lazarets they can either obtain free pratique, if entitled thereto, or perform the necessary quarantine, and thus avoid the delay and other inconveniences which would arise from their almost certain dismissal from the port of Malaga, in case they made their voyage to that place direct.

War Office, Pall Mall,
26th September, 1871.

2nd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Peter Aubertin to be Captain, by purchase, vice Sneyd, promoted. Dated 27th September, 1871.

Cornet John Henry Le Bagge Bagge to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Aubertin. Dated 27th September, 1871.

Veterinary-Surgeon Alfred Adrian Jones, from Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Veterinary-Surgeon, First Class, Gudgin, promoted. Dated 27th September, 1871.

6th Dragoon Guards, Veterinary-Surgeon John Ashworth Rostron, from Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Veterinary-Surgeon, First Class, F. F. Collins, promoted. Dated 27th September, 1871.

2nd Dragoons, Quartermaster - Serjeant John Liddle to be Quartermaster, vice John Fergusson, deceased. Dated 27th September, 1871.

4th Foot, Paymaster John Robert Wilton, from the 54th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Major F. E. Maunsell, transferred to the 54th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1871.

10th Foot, Quartermaster-Serjeant James Templeton to be Quartermaster, vice Peter Murray, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 27th September, 1871.

16th Foot, Ensign William Nicholas Biddulph has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 27th September, 1871.

25th Foot, Lieutenant D. S. Cuninghame to be permitted to receive the value of an Ensigncy on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 27th September, 1871.

35th Foot, The promotion, by purchase, of Lieutenant W. Poste has been cancelled.

Lieutenant Jules Robert Bowen Buscarlet to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Claxton Addison, who retires. Dated 27th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Malleott Sydney Richardson to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Alexander Caldecott, who retires. Dated 27th September, 1871.

Ensign Charles Tyrrell Cavendish to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Buscarlet. Dated 27th September, 1871.

Ensign Henry Charles Grove to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Richardson. Dated 27th September, 1871.

38*th Foot*, Ensign John Bulkeley Price, from 70th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Porter, transferred to 1st Foot. Dated 27th September, 1871.

44*th Foot*, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Thomas Raikes, C.B., from half-pay, late 102nd Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Andrew Browne, C.B., who retires upon half-pay. Dated 27th September, 1871.

54*th Foot*, Paymaster and Honorary Major Francis Edwin Maunsell, from 4th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice J. R. Wilton, transferred to 4th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1871.

66*th Foot*, Lieutenant Walter Roberts, from half-pay, late 3rd West Indian Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice James Douglas Lysaght, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 27th September, 1871.

77*th Foot*, Lieutenant Arthur Lang Tickell to be Captain, by purchase, vice Percy Kirk, who retires. Dated 27th September, 1871.

Ensign Francis Henry Macdonald Dawson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Tickell. Dated 27th September, 1871.

84*th Foot*, Lieutenant Daniel Thomas Allcard to be Captain, by purchase, vice Joseph Spink Crockett, who retires. Dated 27th September, 1871.

Ensign Arthur Nevill Hayne to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Allcard. Dated 27th September, 1871.

92*nd Foot*, Lieutenant David Papillon to be Captain, by purchase, vice Maurice Thomson Carmichael, who retires. Dated 27th September, 1871.

Ensign Richard Cotton Cavendish to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Papillon. Dated 27th September, 1871.

108*th Foot*, Ensign Donald A. Campbell, from 103rd Foot, to be Ensign, vice Fullerton, whose appointment has been cancelled. Dated 27th September, 1871.

Medical Department, Staff Surgeon William Arthur Thomson, M.B., having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870. Dated 4th September, 1871.

BREVET.

Quartermaster Peter Murray, retired half-pay, late 10th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 27th September, 1871.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the deaths of—

Lieutenant-General Peter Innes, Bengal Staff Corps, on 10th May, 1871;

Lieutenant-General Sir Justin Sheil, K.C.B., K.S.I., Bengal Infantry, on 17th April, 1871;

Lieutenant-General Charles Wahab, Madras Infantry, on 19th May, 1871;

Lieutenant-General Willoughby Trevelyan, Bombay Cavalry, on 3rd July, 1871; and

Major-General John Welchman, C.B., Bengal Infantry, on 8th August, 1870:—

To be Lieutenant-Generals.

Major-General Sir George Inglis Jameson, K.C.S.I., Bombay Infantry. Dated 18th April, 1871.

Major-General William Maule Ramsay, Bengal Infantry. Dated 11th May, 1871.

Major-General Humphrey Lyons, Bengal Infantry. Dated 20th May, 1871.

Major-General Richard Albert Bayly, Bombay Infantry. Dated 4th July, 1871.

To be Major-Generals.

Colonel Sir Arthur Purves Phayre, K.C.S.I., C.B., Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 9th August, 1870.

Colonel Brooke Boyd, Bengal Infantry. Dated 18th April, 1871.

Colonel Francis Elliot Voyle, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 11th May, 1871.

Colonel John Liptrott, Bengal Infantry. Dated 20th May, 1871.

Colonel Colin Mackenzie, C.B, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th July, 1871.

Admiralty, 22nd September, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Reserved Captain Stephen Hodge has been advanced to the list of Captains retired under Orders in Council of 1847, 1851, and 1867, from the 14th instant.

Admiralty, 25th September, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Assistant Paymaster Arundel Smith has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Queen's Commission.

Royal Montgomery Militia.

Edward Francis Brown Brooke, Esq., late Captain 41st Foot, to be Adjutant, from the 1st April, 1871, vice Edward Dwen, resigned.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Montgomery.

Montgomeryshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Arthur W. B. T. S. R., Marquis of Downshire, to be Supernumerary Cornet, vice Bulkeley, promoted. Dated 18th September, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

Duke of Lancaster's Own Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant William Gerard Walmesley to be Captain, vice Fazakerley, resigned. Dated 8th August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Derby.

2nd Derbyshire Militia.

Charles G. Busby to be Supernumerary Lieutenant, vice Moore, promoted. Dated 16th September, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.

Warwickshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet A. J. Armstrong to be Lieutenant, vice Biddulph, resigned. Dated 17th May, 1871.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the undersigned, being two of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of the powers given to us by the Post Office Acts and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, order and direct as follows :—

1. The letters described or referred to in the

Schedule hereto may be transmitted by the post from the countries and places set forth in the first column to the countries and places set forth in the second column of such schedule, by the routes and means of conveyance described and set forth in the third column of such schedule, at the rates of postage respectively specified in the fourth column of such schedule, and subject to the regulations and conditions hereinafter contained.

2. In charging any partly prepaid letter posted in the United Kingdom, or posted in Sweden addressed to the United Kingdom, with the postage chargeable thereon under this Warrant, credit shall be given for any postage already paid.

3. Registered letters may be transmitted upon payment of such additional charges or rates of postage or otherwise as the Postmaster General from time to time directs or appoints: provided that all rates of postage and additional charges or rates payable thereupon shall be prepaid, and that no payment shall be made thereupon on delivery.

4. This Warrant shall not prejudice or affect any exemptions or privileges granted by the Post Office Acts, nor the privilege enjoyed by seamen, soldiers, and others employed in Her Majesty's Service, of sending and receiving letters at a reduced rate of postage.

5. The rates of postage fixed by this Warrant on letters transmitted by the post as herein-mentioned shall be in lieu of those now chargeable thereon by virtue of a certain Treasury Warrant dated the 21st day of May, 1866, which Treasury Warrant is hereby repealed, but so, nevertheless, as not to revive any Treasury Warrant or part of a Treasury Warrant which has been heretofore repealed.

6. This Warrant shall come into operation on the 1st day of October, 1871.

THE SCHEDULE.

Posted in	Addressed to	Route and Means of Conveyance.	Rates of Postage (British and Foreign combined) on each Letter.	*If prepaid.*	*If not prepaid.*
The United Kingdom	Sweden ...	Direct by Swedish Mail packet boat, or viâ Belgium, Germany, and Denmark ...	If not exceeding one half of an ounce in weight	Fivepence.	Sevenpence.
Sweden ...	The United Kingdom		If exceeding one half of an ounce in weight, for the first half of an ounce, and for every additional half of an ounce or fractional part of half of an ounce	Fivepence.	Sevenpence.

Sweden ...	Any British Colony or Foreign Country	Viâ the United Kingdom, the conveyance between Sweden and the United Kingdom being direct by Swedish Mail packet boat, or viâ Belgium, Germany, and Denmark	If not exceeding one half of an ounce in weight	Fivepence.	Sevenpence.
			If exceeding one half of an ounce in weight, for the first half of an ounce, and for every additional half of an ounce, or fractional part of half of an ounce	Fivepence.	Sevenpence.
Any British Colony or Foreign Country	Sweden ...		And in addition, the rate or rates of postage (less the British inland rate or rates) for the time being payble for the transmission of a letter of like weight posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to the same Colony or Foreign Country, or posted in such Colony or Foreign Country addressed to the United Kingdom.		

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the 21st day of September, 1871.

W. P. Adam.
Lansdowne.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of SEPTEMBER 29, 1871.

Colonial Office, Downing Street, September 29, 1871.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Distintinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

To be Ordinary Members of the Second Class or Knights Commanders of the said Order :—

Sir Arthur Edward Kennedy, Knt., C.B., Governor of Her Majesty's West Africa Settlements.

Sir Benjamin Chilley Campbell Pine, Knt., Governor of the Leeward Islands.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class or Companions of the said Order :—

Sanford Freeling, Esq., Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Grenada.

John Harvey Darrell, Esq. late Chief Justice of the Bermudas or Somers' Islands.

Francis Spencer Wigley, Esq., Attorney-General for the Island of Saint Christopher.

Charles Peter Layard, Esq., Government Agent for the Western Province of the Island of Ceylon.

Foreign Office, September 28, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Adolph von Treuer as Consul at Adelaide ;

of Mr. Ernst Louis Bucholz as Consul at Auckland, New Zealand; of Mr. Johann Heinrich Bandow as Consul at Bassein, Pegu; of Mr. Armand Theodore Ranniger as Consul at Brisbane, Queensland; of Mr. Theodor Friedrich Melchior Krämer as Consul at Colombo, Ceylon; of Mr. Henry Houghton as Consul for the Province of Otago, to reside at Dunedin, New Zealand; of Mr. Gustav Dentzelmann as Consul at D'Urban, Port Natal; of Mr. John M. Kail as Consul at King George's Sound, Western Australia; of Mr. Wilhelm Alexander Brahe as Consul at Melbourne; of Mr. Johann Friedrich August Kelling as Consul at Nelson, New Zealand; of Mr. Carlos Krämer-Walter as Consul at Newcastle, New South Wales; of Mr. Arthur James Walker Arnott as Consul at Port Louis, Mauritius; of Mr. Frederick Edward Cobb as Consul at Port Stanley, Falkland Islands; of Mr. Oscar Mooÿer as Consul at Singapore; of Mr. Siegfried Franck as Consul at Sydney; of Mr. Matthew Trotter Johnston as Consul at Victoria, British Columbia; and of Mr. Friedrich August Krull as Consul at Wellington, New Zealand, for His Majesty the Emperor of Germany, King of Prussia.

(C. 887.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 28, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Patras, reporting that all vessels arriving in Greek ports will be required to furnish themselves with bills of health from the Greek Consul at the port from which they departed; and if there be no Greek Consul at that port, then from a Consul of some

other nation. If the vessel be furnished with a foul bill of health, she must proceed to one of the undermentioned ports to perform quarantine; viz.:—

Corfu,
Delos,
Sciathos,
Agio Yorghi, in the Bay of Salamis;

if she have no bill of health from the Greek Consul, nor from any other Consul, she will be subjected to a quarantine of observation of from five to eleven days, according to the depositions of the crew and passengers.

(C. 888.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 28, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a telegram from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Madrid, to the effect that, in the case of vessels proceeding to Spanish ports, quarantine performed at Gibraltar is equivalent to that performed at Vigo or Port Mahon.

(C. 889.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 25, 1871.

The Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Havre, reporting that vessels arriving at that port from the United Kingdom do not require bills of health.

(C. 892.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
September 28, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Carthagena, reporting that vessels arriving at that port with clean bills of health from Ireland, Scotland, and Gibraltar, are admitted to free pratique, and that vessels from England are also admitted to pratique after three days' observation.

War Office, Pall Mall,
29th September, 1871.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Major - General Robert Fitzgerald Crawford to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Lieutenant-General H. G. Teesdale, deceased. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Lieutenant - Colonel and Brevet - Colonel John Lindredge Elgee to be Colonel, vice A. Benn, removed as a General Officer. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Colonel Nathaniel Octavius Simpson Turner, C.B., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Elgee, promoted. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Second Captain Morton Parker Eden to be Captain, vice F. Carey, retired from the service, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant dated 31st May, 1871. Dated 8th September, 1871.

Second Captain and Adjutant Charles Dalrymple Gilmour to be Captain, vice Brevet-Colonel Turner, C.B., promoted. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry Manvers Moorsom to be Second

Captain, vice G. E. Callander, retired from the Service, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant dated 31st May, 1871. Dated 7th September, 1871.

Lieutenant George John Burgmann to be Second Captain, vice Eden, promoted. Dated 8th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Herbert Lionel Gwyn to be Second Captain, vice A. A. D. de Vismes, retired from the Service, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant dated 31st May, 1871. Dated 11th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Elwyn to be Second Captain, vice Gilmour, promoted. Dated 13th September, 1871.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel John George Boothby, of the Royal Artillery, having completed five years service in the substantive rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel in the Army, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant dated 27th December, 1870. Dated 24th August, 1871.

In consequence of the death of Lieutenant-General H. G. Teesdale, Colonel-Commandant Royal Artillery, the following promotions will take place, viz. :—

Major - General Ashton Ashton Shuttleworth, Colonel-Commandant, Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Colonel Anthony Benn, of the Royal Artillery, to be Major-General, with antedate of 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to the 13th September, 1871.

Major G. Dowden D. Cleveland, 98th Foot, to

be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Major Charles David Rich, half-pay, late 9th Lancers, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Captain Alexander Ross Clarke, C.B., Royal Engineers, to be Major. Dated 13th September, 1871.

In consequence of the promotion to Lieutenant-General of Major-General Shuttleworth, Colonel-Commandant, Royal Artillery, Major-General Thomas Ackers Shone, retired full-pay, Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant-General, under the provisions of Article 101 of the Royal Warrant, dated the 27th December, 1870. Dated 13th September, 1871.

The dates of the Commissions of the undermentioned Officers, whose promotions appeared in the Gazette of the 29th August, 1871, to be antedated to 20th July, 1871, and to take place in succession to Major-General Elwyn, retired full-pay, Royal Artillery, viz.:—

The Commission, as Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, of Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel T. W. Prevost, half-pay, 42nd Foot, and Staff Officer of Pensioners.

The Commission, as Major, of Captain and Brevet-Major C. Carpenter, Royal Artillery.

The following promotions to take place in succession to Lieutenant-General C. E. Gold, deceased; viz.:—

Captain and Brevet-Major Herbert George Deedes, 60th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 30th July, 1871.

Captain William Handyside, Coast Brigade, Royal Artillery, to be Major. Dated 30th July, 1871.

India Office, 28th September, 1871.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Captain.

Captain (Brevet-Major) Henry Alexander Little, 7th Fusiliers. Dated 14th October, 1868.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Mathew Horace Hayes, Royal Artillery. Dated 17th December, 1862.

Lieutenant Charles Devroche Swete, 25th Regiment. Dated 16th August, 1864.

Lieutenant Henry Alfred Boyce, Royal Artillery. Dated 10th February, 1865.

Lieutenant Arnold Dashwood Strettell, 109th Regiment. Dated 23rd October, 1867.

Lieutenant Edward Chetwood Hamilton, 96th Regiment. Dated 10th November, 1868.

Lieutenant Alister William Jamieson, 106th Regiment. Dated 18th November, 1868.

Ensign George Hambley Elliott, 93rd Regiment. Dated 17th January, 1870.

Ensign Arthur McLeod Mills, 25th Regiment. Dated 9th February, 1870.

Ensign William Alexander Holcombe, 6th Regiment. Dated 17th February, 1870.

Admiralty, 26th September, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been

placed on the Retired List of their ranks from the dates mentioned against their names :—

Chief Engineers :

Henry Cook, 14th instant.
Charles Cottew, 21st instant.

Admiralty, 27*th September*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Charles O. B. Hall has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 21st instant.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their rank from the dates mentioned against their names :—

Staff Surgeons :

Charles T. S Kevern, 22nd instant.
Andrew Murray, 22nd instant
Joseph Henderson, M.D., 27th instant.

Admiralty, 28*th September*, 1871.

Samuel Webber Browne, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 24th September, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cambridge.

Cambridgeshire Militia.

Francis Smith, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th September, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 3, 1871.

VICTORIA, R.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith:

To Our trusty and well-beloved Sir Edward Lugard, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Lieutenant-General of Our Forces;

To Our right trusty and well-beloved Cousin Charles Richard, Earl De la Warr, Knight Commander of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, and Major-General of Our Forces;

To Our trusty and well-beloved James Cornelius O'Dowd, Esquire, the Deputy Judge-Advocate-General of Our Forces.

Whereas for the purposes of carrying into effect the provisions of "The Regulations of the Forces' Act, 1871," relating to the payment of money to Officers in respect of their Commissions, it was amongst other things enacted, that "Her "Majesty may by Warrant under Her Sign "Manual appoint any number of persons not "exceeding three, to be Commissioners during "Her Majesty's pleasure."

Now, know ye, that We reposing great trust and confidence in your zeal, discretion, and ability, do, by these presents authorise and appoint you, Sir Edward Lugard, Charles Richard, Earl De la Warr, and James Cornelius O'Dowd, to be Our Commissioners to carry into effect the provisions of the said Act relating to the payment

of money to Officers in respect of their Commissions.

Given at Our Court at *Balmoral*, this thirtieth day of *September*, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and in the thirty-fifth year of Our Reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,

Edward Cardwell.

Whitehall, October 3, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to grant the dignity of a Knight of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Robert Stuart, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel, Chief Justice of Her Majesty's High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces of the Presidency of Fort William, in Bengal.

(C. 890.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, October 2. 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Acting Consul at Malaga, reporting that by virtue of a recent disposition of the Spanish Minister of Finance, concerning the importation of foreign coals and coke, it is provided that both the customs' tariff duty on those articles, and the navigation or tonnage dues leviable upon the ship by which they are imported, are to be exacted in all cases upon the full Spanish measurement tonnage or carrying capacity of the vessel, without regard to any lesser quantity of fuel actually carried or discharged.

Board of Trade, (Harbour Department),
Whitehall Gardens, S.W., September 29, 1871.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copy of a Despatch from Lieutenant-Colonel Stokes, R.E., the British Representative on the European Commission of the Danube, forwarding a statement of the receipt and expenditure of the European Commission of the Danube during the year 1870, a copy of which is subjoined :—

STATEMENT OF THE RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION OF THE DANUBE DURING THE YEAR 1870.

FIRST PART.—ORDINARY BUDGET.

RECEIPTS.

	frs.	cts.
Amount received on the surplus of 1869, in accordance with § 4 of Protocol CCXLV	143,541	56
Produce of Navigation Dues levied at Sulina in 1870	1,353,831	11
Value of 716¾ stindgens of stone in Depôt	24,800	00
By sale of saw mill at Toultcha	6,360	00
Gain on the sale of bonds of the Roumanian Oppenheim Loan	22,771	87
Interest received for commissions' account by Messrs. Barclay, Bevan, and Co., Bankers	1,340	40
Interest received on the repayment of 10 per cent. loan fund (Scinde Delhi Railway Bonds)	27,001	74

Miscellaneous receipts, such as sale of plant not made use of, gain on exchange, &c.	9,247	04
Total Receipts	1,588,893	72

EXPENDITURE.

Title I.—Administration.

Chap. 1.—*Interior Administration.*

At Galatz	74,405	67
At Toultcha	6,658	02
At Sulina	47,625	28
Expenses common to these three sections	7,334	75

Chap. 2.—*Police and Navigation Establishments.*

General Inspection of the navigation	94,442	61
Harbour Master's Department at Sulina	22,042	70
Navigation Cash Office	37,368	80
Seaman's Hospital	47,578	13
Total Expenditure for Administration	337,455	96

Title II.—Technical Service and Works.

	frs.	cts.
Chap. 1.—Engineering Staff	72,261	00
Chap. 2.—Surveys	13,206	67
Chap. 3.—Workshops, &c., at Sulina	16,285	84
Chap. 4.—Maintenance of the works at the mouth	50,688	96
Chap. 5.—Dredging plant...	93,348	94
Chap. 6.—Miscellaneous works :—		
Bollards and mooring posts	13,033	67
Buoy service	9,074	64
Raising wrecks	18,835	47
Levelling ballast heaps	22,307	70
Chap. 7.—Repairs of barges	34,103	94
Total	343,146	83

Title III.—Loan Service and other Expenses.

Interest on the ten per cent. bonds not liquidated	58,902	29
Interest on the London Loan	135,605	26
Salaries of the Staff of the General Inspection of the Navigation, paid for on account of the Ottoman Government	28,820	00
Loss on exchange	842	39
Gratuities	5,346	47
Commission to agents	676	41
Miscellaneous expenses	38,929	52
Reimbursement of taxes and fines	545	33
Total	269,667	67

Title IV.—Special Works and Expenses in 1870.

Chapter 1.—*Works voted for* 1869, *but not carried out that Year.*

	frs.	cts.
Fixing buoys at the St. George's Mouth	4,593	41
Do. do. in Portitza Bay	4,811	94
Building a magazine at Toultcha	1,253	81
Repair of the Toultcha Chaussée	2,870	56

Chapter 2.—*Other Expenses.*

Revetment of the river bank in the Port of Sulina (being an extension of the revetment comprised in the project of permanent works), and construction of several landing places	97,527	74
Rebuilding the lighthouse on the North Pier and fitting a new lantern ...	43,527	18
Iron mile-posts fixed along the river bank	7,505	23
Building three cottages for the guardians at the St. George's lighthouse ...	10,912	45
Completion of the Seaman's Hospital, levelling and planting garden, &c. ...	14,528	32
Purchase of reserve boilers for the boats of the general inspection of the navigation	5,130	96
Survey of river between Ichatal of Ismail and Ibraila, fixing iron mile-posts and tide gauges along this distance	38,592	06

Building a school-house for the school established by the employés of the Commission	22,112	18
Repair to the stonework of the Sulina Piers	134,807	53
Completion of the prolongation of the South Pier	35,697	40
Total	423,870	77

Balance.

Receipts of the Ordinary Budget			1,588,893	72
Expenditure :—	frs.	cts.		
For administration	337,455	96		
„ technical service	343,146	83		
„ loan service	269,667	67		
„ special works and expenses	423,870	77		
			1,374,141	23
Balance at the end of the year 1870			214,752	49

Second Part.—Continuation of the Permanent Works.

Receipts.			frs	cts.
Balance of the sum of 1,000,000 francs raised on the Loan in 1869		...	83,014	34
Sum allotted from the completion of works fund ...	...	...	489,678	24
Total Receipts	...	...	572,692	58

Expenditure.	frs.	cts.		
Consolidation of the Sulina Piers	202,112	04		
Revetment of the river banks in the harbour (balance of credit allotted for do.)	1,116	22		
River works generally	260,968	40		
Total Expenditure	...	...	464,196	66
Leaving in the chest a balance of ...	...	...	108,495	92

Besides the above sum, there was also available, at the end of the year 1870, for the permanent works, the sum of 15,720 francs for the completion of works fund, being the balance due from the London Loan.

Third Part.—Completion of Works, Redemption, and Reserve Funds.

Receipts.

Cash in hand, 1st January, 1870	10,220	21
Surplus on the ordinary Budget of 1869	63,226	19
Special Funds:—		
Realization of £25,800 in Roumanian eight per cent. Bonds	613,670	62
Sale of Rural Bonds of the value of 1,761,200 piastres	655,755	79
Interests on deposits, and gain on exchange	6,144	68
Encashment of half-yearly coupons of French Railway Bonds	6,855	61
Interest on American Bonds	4,889	43
Half-yearly coupons on £185 in Scinde Delhi Railway Stock	115	71
Total Receipts	1,360,878	24

Expenditure.

	frs.	cts.
Amount taken from the completion of works fund and paid over to the chest for permanent works	489,678	24
Indemnities paid to three employés on leaving the service, and to the widow of a deceased employé	68,224	00
Purchase of Scinde Delhi Railway Stock of the value of £4,065 for the reserve fund	109,964	75
Gain on the sale of the Roumanian eight per cent. Bonds, paid over to the general chest	22,771	87
Re-payment of 500 ducats of the ten per cent. loan issued by the Commission in 1867	5,925	00
Purchase of French Railway Stock (Orleans and Grand Central) for the reserve fund	443,920	30
Purchase of American Bonds of the value of 32,000 dollars, for the reserve fund	165,378	92
Total expenditure...	1,305,863	08

Balance.

Receipts on account of the special funds	1,360,878	24
Expenditure on account of special funds	1,305,863	08
Balance	55,015	16

Of which ;		
In deposit with Messrs. Flury, Herard, Paris	52,724	21
Balance owing by Baring Brothers, London	1,121	08
Cash at Galatz	1,169	87
	55,015	16

General Balance to the 31st December, 1870.

Surplus on the ordinary budget for the year			214,752	49
Balance in hand on the sum set apart for the permanent works for this year			108,495	92
Balance from the special funds			1,169	87
	frs	cts.	324,418	28
Of which, cash in hand	117,048	38		
Do. in Sulina and Toultcha chests, at London Bankers, and in value of materials	207,369	90		
	324,418	28		

EXPLANATIONS.

Navigation Dues levied at Sulina in 1870.

These dues are levied by the European Commission by virtue of Article 16 of the Treaty of Paris of the 30th March, 1856, to cover the expenditure devoted to the improvement of the mouths of the Danube.

The collection was effected in 1870, on the basis of the tariff joined to the Public Act signed at Galatz on the 2nd November, 1865, and in part modified by the provisions enacted on the 27th April, 1867.

It also includes the dues imposed on the navigation for pilotage and lighthouses at the mouth of the river.

In 1870 the gross produce of the dues levied at Sulina amounted to 1,507,535 frs. 01 cts., composed of the following items :—

	frs.	cts.
Dues paid by sailing and steam vessels (packet boats excepted) ...	1,493,719	72
Do. by packet boats	4,309	20
Do. by lighters	3,274	00
Do. by rafts	5,300	00
Police fines	938	09
	1,507,535	01

From this sum there was deducted—

	frs.	ets.		
For the local pilot service	112,058	70		
For the lighthouse	41,645	20		
			153,703	90
The net produce is therefore reduced to			1,353,831	11

This produce was,

	frs.	ets.		frs.	cts.
In 1861	738,253	37	In 1866	783,229	00
1862	747,003	80	1867	786,605	97
1863	931,817	48	1868	1,487,402	54
1864	1,105,341	51	1869	1,540,323	77
1865	839,445	76	1870	1,353,831	11

The mean of these ten years being 1,031,325 frs. 43 cts.

NOTE.—The Commission having decided at its meeting of the 22nd April, 1869, Prot. CCXXVII, that the amount of dues levied for the Local Pilot Service should no longer be added to the ordinary revenue, but that a special pilotage fund should be established, the

revenue of 1869, above quoted, comprises these pilot dues for the first six months of the year only, and the revenue of 1870, in this present statement, shows the net produce of the taxes without the addition of the pilot dues.

In order to establish a correct comparison of the revenue of 1870, and of future years, with that of previous years, the amount of pilot dues must be deducted from the latter, and the corrected amounts will then stand as follows: —

			frs.	cts.
Net produce of the year	1863	... ...	907,228	82
,, ,,	1864	... ...	1,075,897	86
,, ,,	1865	... ...	817,253	06
,, ,,	1866	... ...	761,906	14
,, ,,	1867	... ...	766,655	38
,, ,,	1868	... ...	1,452,867	00
,, ,,	1869	... ...	1,525,815	78
,, ,,	1870	... ...	1,353,831	11

	frs.
Mean of the eight years	1,082,682
Mean of the last five years	1,172,155

State of the Three Special Funds to the 31st December, 1870.

	frs.	cts.
I. The Completion of Works Fund consists only of 15,720 francs, the balance due from the London Loan.		
II. The Redemption Fund amounted, according to the Memorandum of 31st March, 1870, to	592,237	60
From this amount the sum of 500 ducats was taken for repayment of ten per cent. bonds in 1870	5,925	00
The Redemption Fund, therefore, is reduced to	586,312	60
III. The Reserve Fund, according to Protocol No. CCLI, § 1, amounted to	645,144	51
To which has since been added :—		
1. Interest on American Bonds	4,889	43
2. Ditto on part of the Scinde Delhi Railway Stock ...	115	71
The Reserve Fund therefore, on the 31st December, 1870, amounted to	650,149	65

TABLE showing the present Value of the Three Special Funds.

Investment.	Fund.						Totals.	
	Completion of Works.		Redemption.		Reserve.			
	frs.	cts.	frs.	cts.	frs.	cts.	frs.	cts.
Scinde Delhi Railway Stock	...		586,312	60	1,555	27	587,867	87
Orleans Railway Bonds ...	...		...		443,920	30	443,920	30
American Bonds	...		...		165,378	92	165,378	92
In deposit, Messrs. Flury, Herard	15,720	00	...		37,407	21	52,724	21
Balance at Baring Brothers	...		...		1,121	08	1,121	08
Cash in Central Chest ...	...		...		1,169	87	1,169	87
Totals ...	15,720	00	586,312	60	650,149	65	1,252,182	25

Assets of the Commission.

The assets of the Commission on the 31st December, 1870, were as follows :—

		frs.	cts.
1st.	Total balance in cash, as per foregoing statement	324,418	28
2nd.	In deposit with Messrs. Flury, Herard, Bankers	52,724	21
3rd.	Balance due by Messrs. Baring Brothers	1,121	08
4th.	£22,065 in Scinde Delhi Railway five per cent. guaranteed Stock ...	587,867	87
5th.	1827, Bonds of the guaranteed Orleans and Grand Central French Railway	443,920	30
6th.	32,000 dollars of American Bonds	165,378	92
	Value of plant, buildings, and furniture, &c., belonging to the Commission at Sulina, Toultcha, and Galatz	2,400,000	00
	Total	3,975,430	66

Liabilities of the Commission.

The liabilities of the Commission are of three kinds :—

1st. The 10 per cent. bonds.

2nd. The loan contracted with Messrs. Bischoffsheim and Goldschmidt.

3rd. The sum due to Turkey for advances made to the Commission to the year 1863.

FIRST. *The* 10 *per Cent. Bonds.*

The sum total of these 10 per Cent. Bonds of the issue of 1867 and 1868, in circulation, amounted at the end of 1869 to 48,950 ducats. In 1870, 500 ducats' worth of these bonds were paid off; there remains, therefore, at the end of the year a capital of 48,450 ducats in these bonds, which do not all fall due till 11th February, 1872.

The funds necessary for the redemption of these bonds have been raised on the London Loan, and form the special redemption fund of which particulars are given above.

SECOND. *The* 4 *per Cent. Loan, Messrs. Bischoffheim and Goldschmidt.*

The Loan contracted with this firm amounts to £135,000 sterling. It was destined to cover the cost of the Permanent Works, undertaken for the improvement of the Sulina river and mouth. The whole amount of this Loan, issued at 96, with interest of 4 per cent., was paid up in 1868 and 1869. The liquidation of the same will commence in 1871, and will be completed on 31st December, 1872.

THIRD. *Debt to the Sublime Porte.*

This debt amounts to 3,739,540 francs. The interest on the same is calculated at 4 per cent. per annum, commencing from 1st January, 1871. On the other hand, the Turkish Government is indebted to the European Commission, as per account current to 31st December, 1870, to the amount of 66,665 frs. 86 cts.

This account current is kept independently of the capital account. It is credited with the interest on the debt to the Porte at the rate of 4 per cent., dating from 1st January, 1871, and debited with the payments that the Commission makes for account of the Turkish Government, such as

salaries of the Staff of the General Inspection at Toultcha, and of the Captain of the Port and Harbour Officials at Sulina.

The capital of the debt is to be liquidated by annuities of 180,000 francs at the least, comprising interest and sinking fund, which must be met half-yearly, commencing from the 30th June, 1883.

Galatz, the 25th April, 1871.

(Signed) POTTENBURG.
" J. STOKES.
" B. BERIO.
" RADOWITZ.
" D'OFFENBERG.
" ISMAIL.

(C. 894.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, October 2, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Copenhagen, reporting that all vessels arriving from Memel in Danish ports will be subjected to quarantine inspection; also a Despatch from Her Majesty's Acting Consul at Corfu, reporting that a quarantine of eleven days has been placed by the Greek authorities on vessels arriving from Constantinople and other places where cholera exists.

(C. 898.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, October 2, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Acting

Consul-General in Egypt, stating that the Egyptian Government request that all vessels leaving any port of the United Kingdom may be furnished with a proper and exact bill of health in order to avoid having to perform quarantine.

(C. 903.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 2, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Tangier, reporting that the Moorish Government has imposed three days' quarantine observation on vessels arriving from Great Britain; also a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Suez reporting that vessels arriving at that port from the Arabian Coast with clean bills of health are subjected to five days' quarantine, or to a detention of three full days at Tor.

(C. 906.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 2, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of Quarantine Notices issued by the Portuguese Government, which declare—The port of Antwerp free from cholera morbus since the 5th ult.; the port of Cardiff suspected of cholera morbus since the 14th September; the port of Pernau infected with cholera morbus since the 1st September; and the port of Charleston, South Carolina, suspected of yellow fever since the 27th July last.

Admiralty, 30th September, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Henry Lawrence Gully has been placed on the Retired List from the 21st September, 1871, and has been allowed to assume the rank of Retired Commander from that date.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berks.

Berks Yeomanry Cavalry.

Roger Eykyn, Esq., M.P., to be Captain, vice Van de Weyer, resigned. Dated 25th September, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kincardine.

Forfar and Kincardine Artillery Militia.

Francis Trew, Gent., to be First Lieutenant. Dated 22nd September, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

West Suffolk Regiment of Milita.

Robert Hilaro Barlow Campbell, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

West Suffolk Yeomanry Cavalry.

Edward Philippe Mackenzie, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 1st September, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Major the Right Honourable Arthur, Baron Wrottesley in the 2nd King's Own Staffordshire Militia, and to approve of his retaining his rank and continuing to wear the uniform of the Regiment on retirement. Dated 19th September, 1871.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury having certified to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt that there was no surplus of Actual Revenue over the Actual Expenditure of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland for the year ended 30th June, 1871;

The Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt hereby give notice, that no sum will be applied by them on account of the Sinking Fund under the provisions of the Act 29th and 30th Victoria, cap. 39, sec. 16, during the quarter ending 31st December, 1871.

A. Y. Spearman, Comptroller-General.

National Debt Office, October 2, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 6, 1871.

Downing Street, October 6, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Thomas Sidgreaves, Esq., to be Chief Justice of the Straits Settlements.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint Edward Graham Alston, Esq., to be Queen's Advocate for Her Majesty's Settlement of Sierra Leone, on the Western Coast of Africa.

Whitehall, September 27, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Leonard Jenyns, of Belmont, in the city of Bath, Clerk, Master of Arts, the youngest son of George Leonard Jenyns, late of Bottisham Hall, in the county of Cambridge, Clerk, deceased, Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of Francis Blomefield, late of Swaffham, in the county of Norfolk, Gentleman, deceased, henceforth use, assume, and take the surname of Blomefield only in lieu of that of Jenyns, and also bear and use the arms of Blomefield; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

(C. 896.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, October 2, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at St. Petersburgh, enclosing a copy of the Declaration exchanged with the Russian Government, relative to the more effectual protection of trade-marks:

The subjoined are the Articles (in translation) of this Declaration:—

ART. 1. Any person offering for sale or placing in circulation articles bearing counterfeit Russian or English trademarks, will, in both countries, be deemed guilty of a fraudulent act, and will render himself liable,—in Russia, to the penalties prescribed by Articles 173-176 and 181 of the code relating to penalties inflicted by Justices of the Peace, and Articles 1665-1669 and 1671-1675 of the penal code (Edition 1866),—in England, to the penalties provided by the Act of Parliament of 1862 (Merchandize Marks Act).

The parties injured may also bring an action for damages against those who have rendered themselves liable thereto, before the tribunals, and according to the law of the country in which the fraudulent act has been committed.

ART. 2. English subjects wishing to secure their right to their trademark in Russia, must register them at the Department of Commerce and Manufactures, at St. Petersburg.

If at any future time trademarks should be subjected to registration in England the same regulations will apply equally to English and to Russian trademarks.

Her Majesty's Ambassador at St. Petersburg further states, that persons wishing to register trademarks at St. Petersburg, should send to Her Majesty's Consul, or to any Patent-Agent at St. Petersburg, a power of attorney for that purpose, duly certified by a Russian authority in England, to be legal according to British law and containing a delegation clause.

(C. 911.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 5, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Havre, reporting that all vessels arriving from foreign ports at Caen and Honfleur will be subjected to three days' quarantine, unless provided with a clean bill of health, certified by a French Consular Officer.

Their Lordships have also received information, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Florence, to the effect that all vessels arriving in Italian ports from Smyrna and its neighbourhood will be subjected to quarantine.

War Office, Pall Mall,
6th October, 1871.

1*st Regiment of Life Guards*, Cornet and Sub-Lieutenant Richard Marcus Brooke has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 7th October, 1871.

Coldstream Guards, Ensign and Lieutenant Francis Aylmer Graves-Sawle to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice the Honourable Reginald J. M. Greville Nugent, who retires. Dated 7th October, 1871.

2nd Foot, Lieutenant William W. Brownjohn has been permitted to retire upon temporary half-pay. Dated 7th October, 1871.

10th Foot, Lieutenant G. H. Singer to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant A. Glen, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 15th August, 1871.

11th Foot, Ensign Multon Thomas George Lambarde to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Osmond James Forjett, who retires. Dated 7th October, 1871.

14th Foot, Lieutenant William Knox Barrett has been permitted to retire upon temporary half-pay. Dated 7th October, 1871.

16th Foot, Ensign Arthur Edmond Hagarty to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry Le Patourel, who retires. Dated 7th October, 1871.

18th Foot, Paymaster and Honorary Captain George Cecil Gooch, from 44th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Captain Farwell, who exchanges. Dated 1st October, 1871.

20th Foot, Ensign Robert Dennis to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Simeon Elliott, who retires. Dated 7th October, 1871.

44th Foot, Lieutenant William Douglas Saunders to be Captain, by purchase, vice James Chappell, who retires. Dated 7th October, 1871.

Ensign Hampden Augustus Richards to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Saunders. Dated 7th October, 1871.

Ensign Willoughby Pitcairn Kennedy, from 19th

Foot, to be Ensign, vice Richards. Dated 7th October, 1871.

Paymaster and Honorary Captain Robert Bent Farwell, from 18th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Captain G. C. Gooch, who exchanges. Dated 1st October, 1871.

46*th Foot*, Captain Edward John Johnston, from 66th Foot, to be Captain, vice Thomas Murphy, who exchanges. Dated 7th October, 1871.

47*th Foot*, Ensign Dodge Cooper Cecill Cecill has been permitted to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 7th October, 1871.

51*st Foot*, Ensign Richard Marsh Dunn, from 20th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Harvey, promoted. Dated 7th October, 1871.

56*th Foot*, Lieutenant Walter H. T. Smee to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Wood, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

57*th Foot*, Paymaster and Honorary Major William Fortescue Scott, from the 69th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Major M. Matthews, deceased. Dated 1st October, 1871.

59*th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Henry Bradford to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Henry Thomas Brown, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 7th October, 1871.

60*th Foot*, Mr. George Percy Gilbert, late Ensign, is permitted to receive the value of an Ensigncy.

66*th Foot*, Captain Thomas Murphy, from the 46th Foot, to be Captain, vice E. J. Johnston, who exchanges. Dated 7th October, 1871.

85*th Foot*, Captain William Hallowes to be Major, by purchase, vice Montagu Barton, who retires. Dated 7th October, 1871.

Lieutenant the Honourable Charles Dutton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Hallowes. Dated 7th October, 1871.

Ensign Wellesley Welman to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice the Honourable C. Dutton. Dated 7th October, 1871.

88*th Foot*, Ensign Hugh Frederick Smith to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 7th October, 1871.

91*st Foot*, Lieutenant William Darling Caudwell to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. Grant, promoted. Dated 26th July, 1871.

104*th Foot*, The date of the Commission as Lieutenant of Lieutenant E. Z. Thornton to be 26th July, 1862, and not 3rd September, 1862.

109*th Foot*, Captain Frederick Clench Donne to be Major, vice August Schmid, made Supernumerary on appointment as Assistant Adjutant-General in India. Dated 31st March, 1871.

Captain J. E. A. Mackintosh to be Major, vice F. C. Donne, who retires upon the half-pay pension of his rank. Dated 7th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Oscar Schmidt to be Captain, vice Donne. Dated 31st March, 1871.

Lieutenant Edward Hemsted to be Captain, vice Mackintosh. Dated 7th October, 1871.

Ensign William Harry Salmon to be Lieutenant, vice Schmidt. Dated 31st March, 1871.

The promotion of Ensign Salmon on the 4th April, 1871, has been cancelled.

1*st West India Regiment*, Ensign Edward Thomas M. Dickin to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles Christie Pearson, who retires. Dated 7th October, 1871.

Medical Department, The two undermentioned Officers having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Staff Surgeons-Major, under Article 342 of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870:—

Staff Surgeon Herbert Taylor Reade, V.C. Dated 7th September, 1871.

Staff Surgeon George Paul Minchin Woodward, M.D. Dated 12th September, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Charles Henry Browne to be Staff Surgeon, vice Walter Moses Gibaut, placed on temporary half-pay. Dated 7th October, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon John George Thornley, M.D., from half-pay, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Charles Backhouse, resigned. Dated 7th October, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Henry Thomas Brown, M.D., from 59th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Henry Bradford, appointed to the 59th Foot. Dated 7th October, 1871.

Veterinary Department, Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class William Partridge, from Royal Artillery, to be Staff Veterinary-Surgeon. Dated 7th October, 1871.

BREVET.

Captain and Brevet-Colonel Mortimer R. S. Whitmore, half-pay, 19th Dragoons, and Staff Officer of Pensioners, retired upon full-pay, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major Rodney V. Allen, retired upon full-pay, Royal Marine Light Infantry, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, under the Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870. Dated 21st July, 1871.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels :—

Lieutenant-Colonel J. F. Richardson, C.B., Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 27th May, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Nepean Smith, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 11th June, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel E. Thomas Fasken, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 11th June, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Edward Holmes, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 12th June, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Moody Ryan, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 12th June, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Samuel Jones, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 12th June, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Francis John Stevenson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 12th June, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Allen Wright, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 12th June, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Cornwallis Phillips, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 12th June, 1871.

To have the honorary rank of Ensign.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary James Charles Brindley, Madras Establishment. Dated 21st May, 1871.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary William Blow Collins, Bengal Establishment. Dated 25th July, 1871.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Robertson, Bengal Establishment. Dated 25th July, 1871.

Admiralty, 4th October, 1871.

Robert Creighton, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 20th September, 1871.

The undermentioned Engineer Officers have been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of the 27th ultimo :—

George Louis Dickenson Parry Keeling.
John Haseldon Brettell.

Admiralty, 5*th October*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Vice-Admiral Richard Collinson, C.B., has been placed on the Retired List from the 1st instant.

The undermentioned promotions, dated the 1st instant, have been made, in consequence of the above retirement :—

Rear-Admiral William John Cavendish Clifford, C.B., to be a Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Captain Sir Francis Leopold M'Clintock, F.R.S., to be a Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Consequent on the foregoing, the following promotions on the Retired Lists, also dated the 1st instant, have taken place :—

Retired Rear-Admirals :

William K. Stephens,
George H. P. White,
William W. Hornby,
George W. D. O'Callaghan, C.B.,
David Peat,
Charles Wise,
Thomas P. Thompson,
Wallace Houstoun,
to be Retired Vice-Admirals.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Devon.

1st Devonshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Richard Marker to be Captain, vice Barnes, resigned. Dated 14th September, 1871.

Cornet Henry Reginald Courtenay to be Supernumerary Captain, vice Lord Courtenay, resigned. Dated 14th September, 1871.

Cornet William Barnes to be Lieutenant, vice Snow, resigned. Dated 14th September, 1871.

Cornet Charles Thomas Dyke Acland to be Lieutenant, vice Marker, promoted. Dated 14th September, 1871.

Octavius Bradshaw to be Supernumerary Cornet, vice Barnes, promoted. Dated 14th September, 1871.

Edward James Sanders to be Cornet, vice Acland, promoted. Dated 14th September, 1871.

Joseph Albert Collings to be Veterinary-Surgeon. Dated 14th September, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk, *and of the City and County of the City of* Norwich.

Norfolk Artillery Militia.

John Sancroft Holmes. Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 29th September, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Essex.

Essex Rifles Militia.

Francis Edward Brace, Gent., late Lieutenant 3rd Foot, to be Lieutenant. Dated 26th September, 1871.

Harry Stewart Bruce Hodgkinson, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Low, promoted. Dated 27th September, 1871.

Charles Herbert, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 3rd October, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

1st King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

William Conran, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Lonergan, resigned. Dated 19th September, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk, *and of the City and County of the City of* Norwich.

West Norfolk Militia.

William Charles Edwardes Leathes, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th August, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 10, 1871.

Whitehall, October 7, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to grant unto the Reverend James Bowling Mozley, B.D., the office and place of Regius Professor of Divinity in the University of Oxford, together with the place and dignity of a Canon of the Cathedral Church of Christ, in the said University, properly belonging to the Regius Professor of Divinity in such University, void by the resignation of Doctor Robert Payne Smith.

(C. 920.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 7, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Decree issued by the Italian Government, subjecting to quarantine all vessels arriving from Constantinople and its vicinity.

War Office, Pall Mall,
10*th October*, 1871.

Royal Artillery.

Captains to be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Brevet-Major Charles Rowland Hill, vice Brevet-Colonel G. H. Vesey, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Brevet-Major Patrick John Campbell, vice Brevet-Colonel H. L. Chermside, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Brevet-Major Arthur William Twiss, vice Brevet-Colonel F. W. C. Ord, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Reginald Curtis, vice J. E. Thring, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Brevet-Major Edward Jackson Bruce, on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Edward Hope, vice D. E. Hoste, C.B., placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Algernon Brendon, vice H. T. FitzHugh, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James De Havilland,

vice J. L. Bolton, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Brevet-Major George Allix Wilkinson, vice F. J. Soady, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Windham Augustus Lukin, vice O'B. B. Woolsey, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Gronow Davis, V.C., vice Brevet-Colonel H. P. Yates, C.B., placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Second Captains to be Captains.

Edward John Ward, vice Brevet-Major the Honourable L. A. Addington, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Alexander Dickson Burnaby, vice Brevet-Major W. J. Grimston, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Wilmot Burrows Edward Ellis, vice Brevet-Major C. Carpenter, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Vivian Dering Majendie, on the Supernumerary List. Dated 28th September, 1871.

James Edward Blackwell, vice H. P. P. Phelips, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Sir John William Campbell, Baronet, vice J. D. G. Higgon, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Æmilius de Vic Tupper, vice G. J. Shakerly, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Francis Arthur Whinyates, vice C. L'Estrange, 1871.

who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Frederick Coulthurst Elton, vice Brevet-Major Hill, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Charles Richard Franklen, vice Brevet-Major Campbell, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Clennell Collingwood, vice Brevet-Major Twiss, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Frederick Augustus Anley, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Curtis, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

William Rooke, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Hope, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

John Robert King, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Brendon, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Thomas Cuming, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel De Havilland, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Charles Edmund Southouse Scott, vice Brevet-Major Wilkinson, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Henry Dowdeswell Pitt, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Lukin, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Hale Young Wortham, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Davis, V.C., promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Henry Barlow Maule, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. Goodenough, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Lieutenants to be Second Captains.

Henry Maxwell Robertson, vice Ward, promoted. Dated 28th September, 1871.

William Arthur Roberts, vice Burnaby, promoted. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Duncan Norton Taylor, vice Ellis, promoted. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Thomas Maynard Hazlerigg, vice Blackwell, promoted. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Julian Frederick Sandeman, vice Sir J. W. Campbell, promoted. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Robert Smythe Muir Mackenzie, vice Tupper, promoted. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Flemyng George Gyll, vice Whinyates, promoted. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Seymour Hood Toogood, vice C. O. Browne, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Evelyn Baring, vice W. Gilmour, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Henry Norris Jones, vice Brevet-Major C. F. Roberts, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Arthur Frederick Pickard, V.C., vice F. Howlett, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Thomas Burnett, vice Elton, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Samuel Holworthy Desborough, vice Franklen, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Charles Henry Hamilton, vice Collingwood, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Ashton John Shuttleworth, vice Anley, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

George Walter Charles Rothe, vice Rooke, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Basil de Beauvoir Tupper, vice King, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Henry Hills Goodeve, vice Cuming, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

George Best, vice Scott, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Clement Walford Bellairs, vice Pitt, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Joseph Sladen, vice Wortham, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Samuel Pasfield Oliver, vice Maule, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

To be Adjutants.

Second Captain John Macvicar Burn, vice Whinyates, promoted. Dated 11th October, 1871.

Second Captain Francis Thomas Lloyd, vice C. D. Gilmour, promoted. Dated 11th October, 1871.

The undermentioned Officers retire from the Service upon Annuities; viz.:—

Lieutenant Arthur John Cullen. Dated 7th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Dudley North Allan. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Stewart. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Lieutenant John Archibald Campbell. Dated 30th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Lionel Gye. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Lieutenant John Robert Jennings Bramly. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Lieutenant Lionel Herbert Noyes. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Lieutenant Thomas Jesson. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry Thomas Thompson Sandes has been placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 22nd September, 1871.

Lieutenant Robert Neville Holbeche has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 30th September, 1871.

Lieutenant Edmund William Cripps has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Royal Engineers, The promotion of Lieutenant Henry Fyers Turner, in succession to Second Captain G. W. Stockley, as notified in Gazette of 12th September, 1871, has been cancelled.

Lieutenant Henry Fyers Turner to be Second Captain, vice E. P. Hardinge, deceased. Dated 12th August, 1871.

Lieutenant William Innes to be Second Captain, vice G. W. Stockley. Dated 13th September, 1871.

The surname of the Lieutenant promoted Second Captain, vice F. A. Howes, which appeared in the Gazette of the 11th July, 1871, is *Edgcome*, and not *Edgecombe*.

Control Department, Pay Sub-Department, Assistant-Paymaster J. A. Collins to be Deputy Paymaster, vice Chislett, deceased. Dated 6th September, 1871.

Chaplain's Department, Chaplain of the Fourth Class the Reverend J. C. Edghill, M.A., to be Chaplain of the Third Class. Dated 14th September, 1871.

Admiralty, 6th October, 1871.

Royal Marine Artillery.

The promotion of Second Captain Francis Harwood Poore, antedated to 1st March, 1870, vide the London Gazette of the 24th June, 1870, is confirmed, he having passed the requisite examination.

Admiralty, 6th October, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Charles J. F. Ewart, C.B., has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from this date.

Admiralty, 9th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Frederic Antony Sargeaunt has been promoted to the rank of Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet with seniority of 3rd October, 1871. (Specially for intelligence and ability displayed when Senior Lieutenant of Her Majesty's ship "Charybdis," under Captain Lyons, and for valuable services rendered when an accident occurred to that ship in 1870.)

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

2nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Basil Ringrose to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Godson, resigned. Dated 21st August, 1871.

5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Vincent Hunter Barrington Kennett to be Supernumerary Lieutenant, vice Fox, resigned. Dated 9th September, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Suffolk.

West Suffolk Regiment of Militia.

Arthur Henry Wriothesley Hervey, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 21st September, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel John Hardy Thursby, of the 5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 27th September, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 13, 1871.

(C. 937.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, October 12, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of Portuguese Quarantine Notices, declaring the port of Valparaiso and the other ports of Chili free from yellow fever; and the port of Cardiff free from cholera morbus.

(C. 944.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, October 12, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of an Italian Official Decree, by which vessels coming from any port between the Black Sea and the Mediterranean are, on their arrival in Italian ports, subjected to quarantine.

War Office, Pall Mall,
13th October, 1871.

19th Regiment of Hussars, Ensign Charles Edward Warde, from 77th Foot, to be Cornet. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable Edward George Percy Littleton to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice William L. Stucley, who retires. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Ensign and Lieutenant Henry Algernon Langham to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice the Honourable E. G. P. Littleton. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Henry Fludyer to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable H. T. Fraser, promoted. Dated 30th August, 1871.

10th Foot, Staff Assistant-Surgeon James McNamara, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Theobald Andrew Purcell, appointed to the Staff. Dated 14th October, 1871.

20th Foot, Captain Richard Wilson, from half-pay, late 3rd West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice Alfred Chamberlain Addison, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 14th October, 1871.

22nd Foot, Captain Thomas Francis Pardoe, from half-pay, late 72nd Foot, to be Captain, vice James St. George Armstrong, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 14th October, 1871.

39th Foot, Captain Henry Roberts Young, from half-pay, late 81st Foot, to be Captain, vice Edward Gatty, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 14th October, 1871.

44*th Foot*, Lieutenant Anthony Thomas Wilkinson, from half-pay late 3rd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Edward Whitacre Davies, from half-pay late Royal Canadian Rifle Regiment, to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th October, 1871.

54*th Foot*, Lieutenant Kilner Augustus Arthur Brasier-Creagh, from half-pay, late Military Train, to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles St. Clair Pote, from half-pay late Cape Mounted Riflemen, to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th October, 1871.

56*th Foot*, Ensign Henry Thomas Deane-Drake to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Edward J. W. Laing, who retires. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Ensign Arthur Lawrence Dingwall Fordyce, from 81st Foot, to be Ensign, vice Deane-Drake. Dated 14th October, 1871.

68*th Foot*, Lieutenant James Archer Harris, from half-pay, late Military Train, to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Semple, from half-pay, late 4th West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th October, 1871.

69*th Foot*, Paymaster and Honorary Major David Francis Chambers, from half-pay, late 6th Dragoons, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Major Scott, transferred to 57th Foot. Dated 1st October, 1871.

70*th Foot*, Lieutenant Leyland Hornby to be Captain, by purchase, vice George Young, who retires. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Ensign William Anthony Grey Smith to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hornby. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Lieutenant John King to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Hornby, promoted. Dated 14th October, 1871.

77th Foot, Lieutenant George Augustus White to be Captain, without purchase, vice H. S. Weigall, deceased. Dated 17th September, 1871.

Ensign Francis Henry Macdonald Dawson to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice White. Dated 17th September, 1871.

Ensign George Fenton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dawson, whose promotion by purchase on 27th September, 1871, has been cancelled. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Lieutenant John Frederic Hornby to be Adjutant, vice White, promoted. Dated 14th October, 1871.

85th Foot, Lieutenant Gilbert Joshua Spencer Smith to be Captain, by purchase, vice William F. Hancocks, who retires. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Ensign John Haines Vivian to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Smith. Dated 14th October, 1871.

1st West India Regiment, Paymaster and Honorary Captain Martin Doorly has been permitted to retire upon half-pay. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Royal Malta Fencible Artillery, Alfredo Montanaro, Gent., to be Lieutenant with local and temporary rank, vice Bonavia, promoted. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Medical Department, Assistant-Surgeon Theobald Andrew Purcell, from the 10th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice James McNamara, M.D., appointed to 10th Foot. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Admiralty, 10th October, 1871

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their respective ranks from the dates stated against their names :—

Captain John Whitmarsh Webb, from the 30th ultimo.

Commander William L. Staniforth, from the 3rd instant.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Chester, *and County of the City of* Chester.

Earl of Chester's Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Charles Cecil de Trafford to be Lieutenant, vice Brooke, promoted. Dated 17th May, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

3rd Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia.

Samuel Leigh Taylor, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd September, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Andrew Campbell in the 2nd Royal Tower Hamlets Regiment of Militia. Dated 2nd October, 1871.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 30th May last.]

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.

1st Royal Lanarkshire Militia.

Henry Donald Rosseter, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th May, 1871.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 13, 1871.

NOTIFICATION.

Foreign Office, October 16, 1871.

THE following Despatch, announcing the First Meeting of the Commissioners appointed under the 12th Article of the Treaty of Washington of May 8, 1871, and enclosing the Rules and Regulations laid down by the Commissioners for the guidance of claimants in the presentation of their claims, was yesterday received at the Foreign Office, from Henry Howard, Esq., Her Majesty's Agent for British claims, and is, with its inclosures, now published for the information and guidance of British claimants :—

Washington,
October 3, 1871.

MY LORD,

I HAVE the honour to inform your Lordship that the Commissioners appointed under the 12th

Article of the Treaty of Washington, of May 8, 1871, held their first meeting at the United States' State Department, on the 26th ultimo. After having exchanged the usual civilities, the Commissioners requested Count Corti to preside in future at the meetings of the Commission. Mr. Cox, a Clerk in the United States' State Department, was offered the post of Secretary to the Commission, but, as he requested time to consider whether he would accept the appointment, Mr. McPherson was named Acting-Secretary until Mr. Cox's decision was made known to the Commissioners

A draft form of rules and regulations for the transaction of the business of the Commission, which had been drawn up by Mr. R. S. Hale, United States Agent, and Mr. J. M. Carlisle, Her Majesty's Counsel, was then submitted for the approval of the Commissioners. Several amendments were made in the said rules, and the Commissioners then adjourned until the following day. On the next day the Commission again met at the same place. Mr. Cox signified his acceptance of the post of Secretary to the Commission, and his salary was fixed at three thousand dollars a year. The rules and regulations, as amended, were then read and approved, and ordered to be printed, copy of which I have the honour to enclose herewith.

The Commissioners then adjourned until the 14th of November next, so as to allow time for the claimants to print their memorials and comply with the other provisions as laid down in the above-mentioned rules.

I have published a further notice to claimants, copy of which I have the honour to inclose, informing them of the date of the first meeting of the Commission, and pointing out to them the necessity of filing their memorials within six months of said date.

The rules of the Commission being of so great a length I have not thought it right to put Her Majesty's Government to the expense of publishing them in extenso, and have therefore, as your Lordship will see, by referring to the last paragraph of my notice, requested such claimants as may desire copies of said rules to apply to me for them.

May I ask your Lordship to have a notice of a similar kind inserted in the newspapers of Great Britain and Ireland.

I regret that, owing to the delay caused by the printers, I am unable at present to furnish your Lordship with more copies of the rules. Might I suggest that they be printed in the Foreign Office, and claimants residing in Great Britain and Ireland be referred to the Foreign Office for copies thereof.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) HENRY HOWARD.

The Right Honourable
The Earl Granville, K.G.

(Inclosure 1.)

RULES and REGULATIONS adopted by the Commissioners under the 12th Article of the Treaty between the UNITED STATES AND GREAT BRITAIN, concluded and signed at Washington, on the 8th day of May, A.D 1871 :—

The following are the Articles of the Treaty relating to the Commission :

ARTICLE XII.

The High Contracting Parties agree that all claims on the part of corporations, companies, or private individuals, citizens of the United States, upon the Government of Her Britannic Majesty,

arising out of acts committed against the persons or property of citizens of the United States during the period between the thirteenth of April, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, and the ninth of April, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, inclusive, not being claims growing out of the acts of the vessels referred to in Article I of this Treaty, and all claims, with the like exception, on the part of corporations, companies, or private individuals, subjects of Her Britannic Majesty, upon the Government of the United States, arising out of acts committed against the persons or property of subjects of Her Britannic Majesty, during the same period, which may have been presented to either Government for its interposition with the other, and which yet remain unsettled, as well as any other such claims which may be presented within the time specified in Article XIV of this Treaty, shall be referred to three Commissioners, to be appointed in the following manner, that is to say: One Commissioner shall be named by the President of the United States, one by Her Britannic Majesty, and a third by the President of the United States and Her Britannic Majesty conjointly; and in case the third Commissioner shall not have been so named within a period of three months from the date of the exchange of the ratifications of this Treaty, then the third Commissioner shall be named by the Representative at Washington of His Majesty the King of Spain. In case of the death, absence, or incapacity of any Commissioner, or in the event of any Commissioner omitting or ceasing to act, the vacancy shall be filled in the manner hereinbefore provided for making the original appointment; the period of three months in case of such substitution being calculated from the date of the happening of the vacancy.

The Commissioners so named shall meet at Washington at the earliest convenient period after they have been respectively named; and shall, before proceeding to any business, make and subscribe a solemn declaration, that they will impartially and carefully examine and decide, to the best of their judgment, and according to justice and equity, all such claims as shall be laid before them on the part of the Governments of the United States and of Her Britannic Majesty, respectively; and such declaration shall be entered on the record of their proceedings.

Article XIII.

The Commissioners shall then forthwith proceed to the investigation of the claims which shall be presented to them. They shall investigate and decide such claims in such order and such manner as they may think proper, but upon such evidence or information only as shall be furnished by or on behalf of the respective Governments. They shall be bound to receive and consider all written documents or statements which may be presented to them by or on behalf of the respective Governments in support of, or in answer to, any claim, and to hear, if required, one person on each side on behalf of each Government, as counsel or agent for such Government, on each and every separate claim. A majority of the Commissioners shall be sufficient for an award in each case. The award shall be given upon each claim in writing, and shall be signed by the Commissioners assenting to it. It shall be competent for each Government to name one person to attend the Commissioners as its agent, to present and support claims on its behalf, and to answer claims made upon it, and to represent it generally in all matters connected with the investigation and decision thereof.

The High Contracting Parties hereby engage to consider the decision of the Commissioners as absolutely final and conclusive upon each claim decided upon by them, and to give full effect to such decisions, without any objection, evasion, or delay whatsoever.

Article XIV.

Every claim shall be presented to the Commissioners within six months from the day of their first meeting, unless in any case where reasons for delay shall be established to the satisfaction of the Commissioners, and then, and in any such case, the period for presenting the claim may be extended by them to any time not exceeding three months longer.

The Commissioners shall be bound to examine and decide upon every claim within two years from the day of their first meeting. It shall be competent for the Commissioners to decide in each case whether any claim has or has not been duly made, preferred, and laid before them, either wholly or to any and what extent, according to the true intent and meaning of this Treaty.

Article XV.

All sums of money which may be awarded by the Commissioners on account of any claim, shall be paid by the one Government to the other, as the case may be, within twelve months after the date of the final award, without interest, and without any deduction, save as specified in Article XVI of this Treaty.

Article XVI.

The Commissioners shall keep an accurate record and correct minutes or notes of all their proceedings, with the dates thereof, and may appoint and

employ a secretary, and any other necessary officer or officers, to assist them in the transaction of the business which may come before them.

Each Government shall pay its own Commissioner and agent or counsel. All other expenses shall be defrayed by the two Governments in equal moieties.

The whole expenses of the Commission, including contingent expenses, shall be defrayed by a rateable deduction on the amount of the sums awarded by the Commissioners : provided always that such deduction shall not exceed the rate of five per cent. on the sums so awarded.

Article XVII.

The High Contracting Parties engage to consider the result of the proceedings of this Commission as a full, perfect, and final settlement of all such claims as are mentioned in Article XII of this Treaty upon either Government ; and further engage that every such claim, whether or not the same may have been presented to the notice of, made, preferred, or laid before the said Commission, shall, from and after the conclusion of the proceedings of the said Commission, be considered and treated as finally settled, barred, and thenceforth inadmissible.

1. In addition to the representation of his claim, and the proofs in support thereof, which shall have been presented to his Government, the claimant shall file in the office of the Commission a statement of his claim, in the form of a memorial, accompanied by twenty printed copies thereof.

In cases where the amount claimed is less than one thousand dollars, the memorials will be printed at the expense of the Commission.

One copy of each memorial will, by the Secretary, be furnished to each Commissioner, and five copies to the agent of each Government.

2. Every memorial shall state the full name of the claimant, the place and time of his birth, and the place or places of his residence between the 13th day of April, 1861, and the 9th day of April, 1865, inclusive. If he be a naturalized citizen or subject of the Government by which his claim is presented, an authenticated copy of the record of his naturalization shall be appended to the memorial, and he shall state whether he has taken any and what steps towards becoming naturalized in any country other than that of his birth.

3. If the claim be preferred in behalf of a firm or association of persons other than a corporation or joint stock company, the names of each person interested, both at the date of the claim accrued and at the date of verifying the memorial, must be stated, with the proportions of each person's interest. And all the particulars above required to be given in the case of individual claimants must be stated in respect of each member of such firm or association, unless the same be dispensed with on special order of the Commission. If any transfer of the claim, or any part thereof, has occurred, the nature and mode of such transfer must be stated.

4. The memorial must state the particulars of the claim, the general grounds on which it is founded, and the amount claimed. It shall be verified by the oath or affirmation of the claimant, or, in the case hereinafter provided, of his agent or attorney; or if the claim be by a firm or an incorporate association of persons, then by the oath or affirmation of one of them; or in the case of a corporation or joint stock company, by the oath or affirmation of the president or other officer. Such oaths or affirmations may be taken, if in the United States or Great Britain, before any officer having authority, according to the laws of the

place, to administer oaths or affirmations; and they may be taken in the said countries, or elsewhere, before any consul or diplomatic agent of either Government. The verification may be by the agent or attorney only when verification by the claimant is substantially impracticable, and can only be given at great inconvenience. And in case of verification by agent or attorney, the cause of the failure of the claimant to verify it shall be stated.

Objection to the jurisdiction of the Commission, or to the sufficiency of the case stated in the memorial, may be made in the form of a demurrer, stating, without technical nicety, the substantial ground of the objection. Any new matter, constituting a special ground of defence. may be stated in a plea, which may be the subject of demurrer, and all demurrers may be set for hearing on a ten days' notice.

5. Every claimant shall be allowed two months after the filing of his memorial, to complete his proofs; and after the completion of his proofs, and notice thereof given, two months shall be allowed for taking proofs for the defence, with such further extension of time in each case as the Commission on application may grant for cause shown.

After the proofs on the part of the defence shall have been closed, the Commission will, when the claimant shall desire to take rebutting proof, accord a reasonable time for the purpose.

6. All depositions, after the filing of the memorial, shall be taken on notice, specifying the time and place of taking, to be filed in the office of the Commission, with a copy of the interrogatories, or a statement in writing by the counsel of the Government adducing the witness, showing the subject of the particular examination with suffi-

cient precision to be accepted by the counsel of the Government against whom such witness is to be produced, to be signified by his endorsement thereon. Such interrogatories or statement to be filed in the office of the Commission at least fifteen days before the day named for the examination, with one additional day for every five hundred miles of distance from Washington to the place where the deposition is to be taken. When depositions are to be taken elsewhere than in North America, thirty days will be allowed.

7. Every deposition taken in the United States shall be taken before some officer authorized to take depositions in cases pending in courts of the United States. Depositions in Great Britain and her possessions may be taken before any person authorized to take depositions, to be used in courts of record, or any Justice of the Peace. Depositions in those countries or elsewhere may be taken before any Consul or Diplomatic Agent of either Government.

In all cases the cross-examination of the witness may be by written interrogatories or orally, in the election of the party cross-examining.

8. The Commissioners may at any time issue a special commission for the taking of testimony, on the application of either party; such testimony to be taken either in written interrogatories or orally, as the Commissioners may order.

The Commissioners may also, on motion of either party, order any claimant or witness to appear personally before them for examination or cross-examination.

9. When any original papers filed in the State Department of the United States or in the archives of the British Legation in Washington cannot be conveniently withdrawn from the files, copies thereof will be received in evidence, when certified

by the State Department or by the British Legation, as the case may be.

10. When the time has expired for taking proofs, or the case has been closed on both sides, the proofs will be printed under the direction of the Secretary, and at the expense of the Commission. The argument for the claimant shall be filed within fifteen days after the papers shall have been printed, and the case shall stand for hearing ten days thereafter.

11. The Secretary will prepare, from time to time, lists of cases ready for hearing, either upon demurrer or upon the merits, in the order in which they are entitled to be heard, or in which the counsel for the two Governments shall agree that they shall be heard.

12. All cases will be submitted on printed arguments, which shall contain a statement of the facts proven and references to the evidence by which they are proven, and, *in addition*, the counsel for the respective Governments will be heard whenever they desire to argue any cause orally. Arguments of counsel for individual claimants will be received, in print, when submitted by the counsel of either Government, and not otherwise.

13. Claims against the United States and Great Britain, respectively, will be entered in separate dockets kept by the Secretary. The dockets shall contain an abstract of all proceedings, motions, and orders in each case.

14. The Secretary will keep a record of the proceedings of the Commission upon each day of its session, which shall be read at the next meeting, and will then be signed by him and approved by the signature of the preceding Commissioner.

15. The Secretary will keep a notice book, in which entries may be made by the counsel for

either Government, and all entries so made shall be notice to the opposing counsel.

16. The Secretary shall provide books of printed forms, in which will be recorded the awards of the Commission. signed by the Commissioners concurring therein. The awards against each Government will be kept in a separate book.

17. A copy of each award, certified by the Secretary of the Commission, will be furnished, on request, to the party upon whose claim such award shall have been made.

18. The dockets, minutes of proceedings, and records of awards, will be kept in duplicate, one of which will be delivered to each Government at the close of the duties of the Commission.

19. The Secretary will have charge of all the books and papers of the Commission, and no papers shall be withdrawn from the files or taken from the office, without an order of the Commission.

Inclosure 2.

NOTICE TO BRITISH CLAIMANTS.

With reference to my notice dated July 15, 1871, requesting subjects of Her Britannic Majesty to send to me particulars of claims which they may have upon the United States Government, arising out of acts committed against their persons or property during the period between the 13th of April, 1861, and the 9th of April, 1865, inclusive, and which yet remain unsettled, I hereby give notice, that the Commission appointed under the 12th Article of the Treaty of Washington of May 8, 1871, for the settlement of such claims, held their first meeting on the 26th ultimo, and that, in accordance with Article XIV of the aforesaid Treaty, every claim must be presented to the Commissioners within six months from that date.

Claimants are accordingly requested to file their memorials at my office, 703, Fifteenth-street, with as little delay as possible.

By order of the Commissioners, the said memorials must be in print, and twenty copies thereof furnished for the use of the Commission.

Such claimants as may desire copies of the rules as laid down by the Commissioners, for the guidance of claimants in the presentation of their claims, can obtain them by application to me.

HENRY HOWARD,
H. B. M.'s Agent for British Claims.
703, Fifteenth-street, Washington, D.C.,
October 2, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 17, 1871.

Foreign Office, October 16, 1871.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Andrew Buchanan, G.C.B., now Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Emperor of Russia, to be Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Emperor of Austria.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Lord Augustus William Frederick Spencer Loftus, G.C.B., now Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Emperor of Germany, King of Prussia, to be Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Emperor of Russia.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Odo William Leopold Russell, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Emperor of Germany, King of Prussia.

Foreign Office, October 16, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Senor James Kerr as Consul at Grimsby for the United States of Venezuela.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don David Boosie Cruickshank as Consul at Auckland for the Republic of Chile.

Whitehall, September 20, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Harry Wormald Armitage, of Cookridge Hall, in the parish of Adel, and Sawley Hall, in the parish of Sawley, both in the county of York, Gentleman, second son of William Armitage, of Ainderby, in the said county of York, Esquire, by Charlotte, his late wife, deceased, daughter of Harry Wormald, late of Leeds, in the said county, Esquire, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of Richard Wormald, late of Cookridge Hall aforesaid, Esquire, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Wormald only, and that he and they may bear the arms of Wormald quarterly with those of Armitage; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

War Office, Pall Mall,
17th October, 1871.

Royal Engineers, Second Captain George Swinton (late Bengal) to be Captain, vice J. P. Basevi, deceased. Dated 18th July, 1871.

Second Captain James Gavin Lindsay (late Madras) to be Captain, vice J. G. Ryves, deceased. Dated 30th July, 1871.

Lieutenant William Shepherd (late Bengal), on the Seconded List, to be Second Captain. Dated 18th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Robert Procter Tickell (late Bengal) to be Second Captain, vice Swinton. Dated 18th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Sydenham Cubbon Clarke (late Madras) to be Second Captain, vice Lindsay. Dated 30th July, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Warden of the Stannaries in the Counties of Cornwall *and* Devon.

Royal Cornwall and Devon Miners' Artillery Militia.

Lieutenant Colman Battie Rashleigh to be Captain, vice Treffry, resigned. Dated 9th October, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, *and of the City and County of the City of* Gloucester, *and of the City and County of the City of* Bristol.

Royal North Gloucestershire Regiment of Militia.

Ernest Gambier Parry, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant, vice Wallington, resigned. Dated 11th October, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Harrison to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th September, 1871.

1st King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

The Honourable William Frederick Dawnay to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, *and of the City and County of the City of* Canterbury.

East Kent Militia.

Henry Courtenay Morland, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 10th October, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 20, 1871.

Whitehall, October 20, 1871.

IN pursuance of an Act passed in the third year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth, intituled "An Act for regulating Schools of Anatomy," the Right Honourable Henry Austin Bruce, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, has appointed John William Ogle, Doctor of Medicine, to be an Inspector of Anatomy in England and Wales, in the room of George Cursham, Doctor of Medicine, deceased.

(C. 971.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, October 18, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received information through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, that all vessels from Constantinople will, upon their arrival in the other Ottoman Ports, be subjected to quarantine.

(C. 973.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, October 18, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Circular, which has been issued by the Greek Government, stating that all ports in free communication with Constantinople and other infected ports, will be considered themselves as infected, and all vessels arriving in Greek ports therefrom will be subjected to quarantine.

(C. 977.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, October 19, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch, from Her Majesty's Consul at Trieste, reporting that all vessels arriving at Austro-Hungarian Ports in less than sixteen days from places infected with or suspected of cholera will be subject to quarantine of seven days; and to a quarantine of 48 hours when the voyage shall have exceeded sixteen days in duration.

Should vessels arrive on board of which cases of cholera have occurred, the period of quarantine will be prolonged, and measures adopted for the disinfection of the effects and merchandize.

(C. 979.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, October 19, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of Notices issued by the Portuguese Government, which declare the port of Constantinople infected with cholera morbus ; the port of Rotterdam infected with cholera morbus, and the other ports of Holland suspected of the same disease.

War Office, Pall Mall,

20th October, 1871.

Staff, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel James Wells Armstrong, C.B., half-pay, Depôt Battalion, from Deputy Adjutant-General in Ireland, to be Deputy Adjutant-General to the Forces, vice Major-General C. R. Egerton, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel James M. Primrose, C.S.I., half-pay, late 43rd Foot, from Deputy Quartermaster-General in Egypt, to be Deputy Adjutant-General in Ireland, vice Brevet Colonel J. W. Armstrong, C.B. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Admiralty, 18*th October*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain John James Kennedy, C.B., has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 14th instant.

Admiralty, 19*th October*, 1871.

Naval Instructor Thomas Crockford has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from this date, under the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 30th April, 1861, and 17th May, 1867.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

5*th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.*

Charles Percival Henty, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd October, 1871.

Commission signed by Her Majesty's Lieutenants for the City of London.

Royal London Militia.

Lieutenant Thomas Davies Sewell to be Captain, vice James Johnston Brown, resigned. Dated 18th October, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Oxford.

Oxfordshire Regiment of Militia.

Patrick Kavanagh, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Thompson, resigned. Dated 19th October, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Radnor.

Radnorshire Militia.

Reuben Norton, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 11th October, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Quartermaster Daniel Hampson, of the West Norfolk Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Captain on retirement.

Treasury, October 18, 1871.

The Master of the Royal Mint, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice, that temporary employments in the said Mint, contingent on the amount of coinage, in the situations of Artificers (Men or Boys), or of Packers and Tellers, or in any of the situations which were withdrawn generally from Schedule A of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870, by notice in the London Gazette dated 28th November, 1870, are hereby withdrawn, where not already withdrawn, from the said Schedule, and are included in Schedule B of the said Order.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 24, 1871.

Foreign Office, October 21, 1871.

NOTIFICATION.—No. 4.

MR. HENRY HOWARD, Her Majesty's Agent at Washington for British Claims, has been instructed, in reply to an enquiry made by him, that he is not to present to the Commissioners any documents which may have been transmitted to him from the Foreign Office or Her Majesty's Legation in the United States on behalf of any claimant, until such claimant shall have filed in the office of the Commission the formal statement of his claim required by Rule I. of the Commissioners, as published on the 16th instant in the Supplement to the London Gazette of the 13th instant, and republished in the Gazette of October 20, and which for the convenience of claimants is here republished :—

Rule I. In addition to the representation of his claim, and the proofs in support thereof, which shall have been presented to his Government, the claimant shall file in the office of the Commission a statement of his claim, in the form of a Memorial, accompanied by twenty printed copies thereof.

In cases where the amount claimed is less than one thousand dollars, the Memorials will be printed at the expense of the Commission.

One copy of each Memorial will, by the Secretary, be furnished to each Commissioner, and five copies to the Agent of each Government.

Whitehall, October 23, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Thomas Alexander Cameron to the church and parish of Dunnichen, in the presbytery and county of Forfar, vacant by the translation of the Reverend John Methven Robertson, late Minister thereof, to the parish of Montrose.

(C. 993.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, October 23, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch, from Her Majesty's Consul at Malaga, reporting that vessels arriving at that port from Scotland, Ireland, Jersey, Guernsey, Gibraltar, and Canada are admitted to immediate free pratique.

Admiralty, 20*th October*, 1871.

Sub-Lieutenant Eustace Downman Maude has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet with seniority of 30th September, 1871.

Specially for his services against Malay pirates at Salangore whilst serving in Her Majesty's ship "Rinaldo."

Admiralty, 21*st October*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Augustus B. C. Booth has been placed on the Retired List from the 16th instant, and allowed to assume the rank of Retired Commander from that date.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland.

Northumberland and Newcastle Yeomanry Cavalry.

Charles Archibald Perceval Reed, Gent., to be Cornet. Dated 16th October, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 27, 1871.

Downing Street, October 26, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Venerable Hugh Willoughby Jermyn, M.A., to be ordained and consecrated Bishop of the See of Colombo, in the Island of Ceylon.

(C. 989.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, October 25, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch, from Her Majesty's Acting Consul at Havre, reporting that clean bills of health, attested by a French Consular Officer, will be demanded at Dieppe from all vessels coming from any foreign port.

(C. 990.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, October 25, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch, from Her Majesty's Consul at Taganrog, reporting that the cessation of cholera at that port has been officially announced, and that clean bills of health are delivered by the Local Authorities to ships leaving for abroad.

(C. 999.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, October 25, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch, from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Bucharest, reporting that a quarantine of ten days has been established at Sulina on all vessels arriving with foul bills of health from Constantinople and from Russian ports on the Black Sea.

(C. 1000.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, October 25, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch, from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Tunis, reporting that all vessels arriving from the Baltic and continental ports, with the exception of those with clean bills of health from Norway and Sweden, are subjected to a quarantine of twenty-one days; and arrivals from Constantinople to a quarantine of eleven days.

(C. 1008.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, October 26, 1871.

WITH reference to the Notice which appeared in the London Gazette of the 3rd July last, to the

effect that the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade had received quarantine regulations applicable to ships passing through the Straits of the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus, their Lordships hereby give notice that they have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Supplementary Article to the said Regulations, and that this Article may be inspected upon application at the Board of Trade (Commercial Department), Whitehall Gardens.

(C. 1010.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 26, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch, from Her Majesty's Consul at Canea, reporting that all vessels arriving in the Island of Crete from Constantinople, or other places where cholera has appeared, will be placed in quarantine for ten days, and that if any case of cholera has occurred on board during the voyage the quarantine will be prolonged to fifteen days.

(C. 1015.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 26, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch, from Her Majesty's Consul at Rosario, reporting that a Law has been recently passed, declaring all agricultural colonies established in the province of Rosario, between the Guardia de la Esquina and Melincue, and from San Geronimo to the Cañada de Gomez, Totoras and Saladas, and from the Capital to the Sance, and from the

Prusianas to the frontier, and from San José to the colony of Helvecia, exempt from all direct taxation for three years from the date of their existence; and colonies established beyond the above limits exempt from direct taxation or taxation on their produce for the term of five years.

(C. 1018.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 26, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a Despatch, from Her Majesty's Consul at Copenhagen, reporting that the ports of Riga, Memel, Altona, and Hamburg have been declared by the Danish Government free from cholera.

(C. 1019.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
October 26, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of Quarantine Notices issued by the Portuguese declaring the port of Hamburg suspected of cholera, and the port of Bahia suspected of yellow fever.

War Office, Pall Mall,
27th October, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Dated Horse Guards,
War Office, 20th October, 1871.

His Royal Highness the Field-Marshal Commanding-in-Chief has been pleased to appoint

Major-General Caledon Richard Egerton to be his Military Secretary, in succession to Lieutenant-General William Frederick Forster, whose period of service in that appointment has expired. Dated 1st November, 1871.

(Signed) RICHARD AIREY,
Adjutant-General.

1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Gentleman Cadet Peter Marrow, from the Royal Military College, to be Cornet, vice Underwood, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

2nd Dragoon Guards, Cornet Edward Egerton Leigh to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Henry Le Bagge Bagge, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

John Francis Wiseman, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Bagge, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

3rd Dragoon Guards, Norman Bellas Barlow, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Torin, transferred to 13th Hussars. Dated 28th October, 1871.

5th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant-Colonel James Henry Wyatt, C.B., from half-pay, late Military Train, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Frederick Hay Swinfen, who retires on temporary half-pay, receiving a portion of the former difference between Cavalry and Infantry. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Major Richard Temple Godman to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice J. H. Wyatt, C.B., who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Captain William Edward Marsland to be Major, by purchase, vice Godman. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant George Pritchard to be Captain, by purchase, vice William Bennion Foulkes, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Richard Jones Sankey to be Captain, by purchase, vice Marsland. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Cornet and Adjutant Thomas Henry Hartnell to have the rank of Lieutenant. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Cornet Bernhard Henry Entwisle to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Pritchard. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Cornet John Oswald Trotter to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Sankey. Dated 28th October, 1871.

6th Dragoon Guards, Francis Ingram Main, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Byrom, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

John Francis Upton Gaskell, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Moore promoted. Dated 29th October, 1871.

7th Dragoon Guards, Robert Constable, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Chadwick, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Charles Reagan Dinger, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Johnstone, who has retired. Dated 29th October, 1871.

1st Dragoons, Benjamin Ingham Tidswell, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Tennant, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

2nd Dragoons, William Francis Firmstone, Gent., to be Cornet, vice the Honourable W. P. Alexander, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ronald Rivers Farquhard Campbell, Gent., to be Cornet, vice McClintock-Bunbury, promoted. Dated 29th October, 1871.

3rd Hussars, Robert Elton Grey, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Rogers, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

6th Dragoons, Alexander Chalmers McKean, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Thackeray, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

8th Hussars, Lieutenant Thomas Edward Stopford Hickman, from 4th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Marley George Hutchinson, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Andrew Pringle, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Eden, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

9th Lancers, The Honourable George William Gilbert Russell to be Cornet, vice Wheeler, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

11th Hussars, Lieutenant George Clerk Cheape to be Captain, by purchase, vice Robert Henry Verschoyle, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Cornet Edward Eardley Lushington to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Cheape. Dated 28th October, 1871.

William Henry Fothergill MacMullen, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Mundy, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

12th Lancers, Henry Ashton Case, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Mansel, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

13th Hussars, Lieutenant Arthur Cotton Beare, from 16th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Edward Rivis, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Anthony Charles Sykes Abdy, from 22nd Foot, to be Cornet, vice Hargreaves, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

14th Hussars, Llewellyn Wynn Bodychan Sparrow, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Merry, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

The Honourable Hugh George Gough to be

Cornet, vice Hyder, promoted. Dated 29th October, 1871.

17*th Lancers*, Captain George Coke Robertson to be Major, by purchase, vice Robert Bainbridge, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Clement William Joseph Unthank to be Captain, by purchase, vice Robertson. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Cornet Charles Evelyn Arkwright to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Unthank. Dated 28th October, 1871.

21*st Hussars*, Gentleman Cadet Arthur James Ramsay Van Cortlandt, from Royal Military College, to be Cornet, vice Ramsay, deceased. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Royal Artillery, Staff Surgeon Edmund McGrath to be Surgeon, vice Tertius Ball, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon William Robertson, M.B., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Hugh Mackay Macbeth, who exchanges. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain George Charles Keppel Johnstone to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Henry Renebald Clinton, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign and Lieutenant Patrick David Boyle to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice G. C. K. Johnstone. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Thomas Wood, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Ames, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Eyre Macdonnell Stewart Crabbe, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Walrond, promoted. Dated 29th October, 1871.

Robert Leigh Pemberton, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Antrobus, promoted. Dated 30th October, 1871.

James Foster, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Ricardo, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

William Dent Mountjoy Cecil Phillips Farrer, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Angerstein, retired. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Reginald Walkelyne Chandos-Pole, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Rowley, promoted. Dated 2nd November, 1871.

The Honourable Charles Robert William Colville (Master of Colville), to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Langham, promoted. Dated 3rd November, 1871.

The Honourable Rupert Clement George Carington to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Macdonald, retired. Dated 4th November, 1871.

Coldstream Guards, Lord Douglas William Cope Gordon to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice the Honourable R. G. E. Campbell, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Vesey John Dawson, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice the Honourable R. J. M. Greville Nugent, promoted. Dated 29th October, 1871.

The Honourable Eustace Henry Dawnay to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice the Honourable G. A. V. Bertie, promoted. Dated 30th October, 1871.

Scots Fusilier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Charles Arthur Wynne-Finch to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Frederick William John Dugmore, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign and Lieutenant the Honourable Richard Southwell George Stapleton Cotton to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice John, Lord Churston, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign and Lieutenant Arthur Broadwood to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Wynne-Finch. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Maximilian Dudley Digges Dalison, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Scott, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Francis D. Astley, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Sir W. Gordon Cumming, Bart., promoted. Dated 29th October, 1871.

Archibald Spencer Drummond, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Viscount Coke, promoted. Dated 30th October, 1871.

The Honourable North de Coigny Dalrymple to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice the Honourable R. S. G. Stapleton Cotton. Dated 31st October, 1871.

William Augustus Home - Drummond - Moray, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Broadwood. Dated 1st November 1871.

1st Foot, Lieutenant John de Stuteville Isaacson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Luke Frederic Scott, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Francis Robert Stanton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Thomas Atkinson, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Francis Charteris Henry Brooke to be Captain, by purchase, vice St. George Gray, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Thomas French Ross to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Isaacson. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Arthur Smith to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Stanton. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Maurice Nugent O'Connor to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Brooke. Dated 28th October, 1871.

2nd Foot, Gentleman Cadet William Henry Walmisley, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Collis promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

3rd Foot, Captain Walter Augustus Daubeny to be Major, by purchase, vice John Otway Wemyss, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Robert Norman Franks to be Captain, by purchase, vice Daubeny. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign George Albert Colvill to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Franks. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Albert Edward Ommanney to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry FitzGerald Stevens, a probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant George Albert Colvill to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Kane, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

4th Foot, Lieutenant Edgar Montagu Kemp to be Captain, by purchase, vice William Thomas Freeman, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign William Hunter Buller Little to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hickman, transferred to 8th Hussars. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign John Harold William Torr to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Kemp. Dated 28th October, 1871.

7th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Clement Dunbar, from half-pay late 75th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Hugh

Robert Hibbert, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Major George Henry Waller to be Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Dunbar, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Major Thomas Winter Sheppard, from half-pay late 87th Foot, to be Major, vice James M. Clayhills, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Captain Adrian Bennett to be Major, by purchase, vice Sheppard, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major Hugh Stewart Cochrane, V.C., to be Major, by purchase, vice Waller. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant William Wheaton Chard to be Captain, by purchase, vice Bennett. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry Ferdinand Oakes to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet-Major Cochrane. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Lewis Henry Corkran, from 52nd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Langhorne, who exchanges. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Charles William O'Brien to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Chard. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign John Henry Courtney Clarke to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Oakes. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Paymaster Charles Downes Manning, from 38th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Major Augustus Spiller, deceased. Dated 28th October, 1871.

10th Foot, The surname of the Ensign appointed in the Gazette of 22nd September, 1871, is *de Hoghton*, and not *De Hoghten*, as therein stated.

15*th Foot*, Lieutenant Richard V. Sankey Riall to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Joseph McMurray, who resigns that appointment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

16*th Foot*, Ensign James Lesley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Beare, transferred to the 13th Hussars. Dated 28th October, 1871.

17*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Charles William Boddam, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Flood, transferred to 82nd Foot. Dated 28th October, 1871.

19*th Foot*, Lieutenant Arthur Edward Trotter Trotter to be Captain, by purchase, vice James Gordon Moir, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Harry Michael Stapleton to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Trotter. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Quartermaster James Linford, from 63rd Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice Keatinge, who exchanges. Dated 5th September, 1871.

20*th Foot*, Lieutenant Philip Albert Robinson to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Gibaut, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

21*st Foot*, Ensign Frederick Stovin Chapman to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Arthur Law, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

23*rd Foot*, Lieutenant George Adderley Dawson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry O. Lloyd, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Arthur Tudor Boddam-Whetham to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Edward Coutts Tempest Stone, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Robert Henry Palk to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dawson. Dated 28th October, 1871.

25*th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Gildart Worsley to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant G. O. Stoney, appointed Adjutant. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

28*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Robert Sandilands F. Walker, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Beattie, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

30*th Foot*, Ensign William Kennedy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles B. Charlewood, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

31*st Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Babington, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Charles Edward Jones, deceased. Dated 28th October, 1871.

33*rd Foot*, Ensign Mervyn Dunnington-Jefferson to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Baptist Johnston Barton, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

35*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Arthur S. H. Gem, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Cavendish, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

44*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Arthur George Frederic Browne, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Doherty Rosser, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign. Dated 29th October, 1871.

46*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Francis Sheffield Sorrell, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Fergusson, resigned. Dated 28th October, 1871.

48th Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Charles Orde Powlett to be Captain, by purchase, vice William Cumming, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Frederick Edward Power to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Powlett. Dated 28th October, 1871.

52nd Foot, Lieutenant Alfred Robert Maskall Langhorne, from 7th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Corkran, who exchanges. Dated 28th October, 1871.

54th Foot, Ensign James Andrew Colvile Wedderburn to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Kilner Augustus Arthur Brasier-Creagh, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Bourne Airey, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign. Dated 28th October, 1871.

58th Foot, Captain Dawson Townley has been permitted to retire on temporary half-pay. Dated 28th October, 1871.

60th Foot, Captain Wykeham Leigh Pemberton to be Major, by purchase, vice Edward Bowles, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Francis Wallace Grenfell to be Captain, by purchase, vice Pemberton. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Horace Walpole to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Grenfell. Dated 28th October, 1871.

63rd Foot, Major Patrick Hunter, from 82nd Foot, to be Major, vice W. G. Graves, who exchanges. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Captain Nadolig Ximenes Gwynne, from 96th Foot, to be Captain, vice Aked, who exchanges. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Quartermaster John Keatinge, from 19th Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice Linford, who exchanges. Dated 5th September, 1871.

64*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Francis George Archibald Wiehe, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Dewar, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

68*th Foot*, Captain Sheffield Grace to be Major, by purchase, vice Hugo S. Light, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry Brooke Rhodes to be Captain, by purchase, vice Grace. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Thomas A. Hwfa Williams to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Rhodes. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign William Conyngham Vandeleur Burton, from 9th Foot, to be Ensign, vice Williams. Dated 28th October, 1871.

69*th Foot*, Lieutenant Alfred John Borton to be Captain, by purchase, vice William George Hunter, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Francis Latty Wason Wedge to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Borton. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Dudley Gordon Alan King to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles John Francis Campbell, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Gentleman Cadet Lambart John Browne, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Macdonald, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

70*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Charles Hugh Manners Smith, from the Royal Military Col-

lege, to be Ensign, vice Smith, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

71*st Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Edmund Spencer, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Turnor, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

82*nd Foot*, Major William Grogan Graves, from 63rd Foot, to be Major, vice Patrick Hunter, who exchanges. Dated 28th October, 1871.

83*rd Foot*, Lieutenant George Newcombe Stevenson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Walter Cecil Strickland, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Folliott Stuart Furneaux Stokes to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Stevenson. Dated 28th October, 1871.

84*th Foot*, Ensign Ralph Thomas Murphy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice George Edward Bythesea Baker, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

88*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Liston Dalrymple to be Captain, by purchase, vice Livins Sherwood King, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Lascelles Wharton Ford to be Captain, by purchase, vice James Buchanan Whitla, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Munro Benn to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Dalrymple. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Thomas St. John Lavie to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ford. Dated 28th October. 1871.

90*th Foot*, Major Henry Evelyn Wood, V.C., from half-pay late 17th Foot, to be Major, vice Sir Henry H. Goodricke, Bart., who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Captain Allen Deane, from half-pay late 1st Foot, to be Captain, vice John Thomas French, who retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant John Campbell to be Captain, by purchase, vice Deane, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Edward Lethbridge to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Campbell. Dated 28th October, 1871.

92*nd Foot*, Lieutenant George Chalmer to be Captain, by purchase, vice William Rust D'Eye, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Charles Whittingham Horsley Douglas to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Chalmer. Dated 28th October, 1871.

93*rd Foot*, Ensign George Hambley Elliott to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 28th October, 1871.

95*th Foot*, Major and Brevet-Colonel George Courtenay Vialls to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel J. A. R. Raines, C.B., promoted Major-General. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Foster to be Major, without purchase, vice Brevet-Colonel Vialls. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Captain Joseph Gabbett, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Foster. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Captain William Charles Drummond, from Madras Staff Corps, to be Captain, vice J. Gabbett, who exchanges. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Arthur Montagu Bowles to be Lieutenant,

by purchase, vice Arthur Chichester, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

96*th Foot*, Captain Thomas Aked, from 63rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Gwynne, who exchanges. Dated 28th August, 1871.

97*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet John Edward Simeon, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Wing, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

102*nd Foot*, Gentleman Cadet William Jackson Hume, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Chalon, resigned. Dated 28th October, 1871.

105*th Foot*, Lieutenant John William Darvill to be Captain, vice James Theodore Hosken, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Denis John Hawkins to be Lieutenant, vice Darvill. Dated 28th October, 1871.

107*th Foot*, Major Cooper M. N. Fellowes to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Albert Locke Nicholson, who retires on a pension. Dated 20th August, 1871.

Captain Thomas Plumptre Harrison to be Major, vice Fellowes. Dated 20th August, 1871.

Lieutenant Walter Cave to be Captain, vice Harrison. Dated 20th August, 1871.

Ensign Gordon Christie to be Lieutenant, vice Cave. Dated 20th August, 1871.

Lieutenant William Frederick Cavaye to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Cave, promoted. Dated 20th August, 1871.

108*th Foot*, The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensigns :—

Percy Edward Henderson, vice Reid, promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Henry John Barrett Sparks, vice Thompson, promoted. Dated 29th October, 1871.

Frederick Beresford Dawes, vice Orr, promoted. Dated 30th October, 1871.

William George Durnsford, vice Barclay, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

109th Foot, Ensign Andrew Henry Macintire, to be Lieutenant, vice William Harry Salmon, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 8th September, 1871.

Ensign Alexander John Forsyth Reid, to be Lieutenant, vice Macintire, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 8th September, 1871.

Ensign Philip Edward Anderson, to be Lieutenant, vice Reid, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 8th September, 1871.

Ensign Robert Gordon, to be Lieutenant, vice Anderson, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 8th September, 1871.

1st West India Regiment, Frederick Acheson Montgomery-Moore, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Dickin promoted. Dated 28th October, 1871.

George Edward Beale Browne, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Bell promoted. Dated 29th October, 1871.

2nd West India Regiment, Clavell Freeland Filliter, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Rutherford, promoted. Dated 29th October, 1871.

George Hilliard Matthews, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Barber, promoted. Dated 30th October, 1871.

George Spencer Coates, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Perry, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

William Gordon Patchett, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Trotter, promoted. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Herbert Hope Keighley, Gent., to be Ensign,

vice Delpratt, whose appointment, on 22nd March, 1871, has been cancelled. Dated 2nd November, 1871.

Medical Department, Surgeon Tertius Ball, M.D., from the Royal Artillery, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Edmund McGrath, who exchanges. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Hugh Mackay Macbeth, from Royal Artillery, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Robertson, M.B., who exchanges. Dated 28th October, 1871.

The surname of the Staff Assistant-Surgeon appointed in the Gazette of the 19th September, 1871, is *Cruickshank*, and not *Cruikshank*, as therein stated.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Albert Locke Nicholson, retired on a pension, late 107th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 20th August, 1871.

The local rank of Major, conferred on Captain C. H. Harrison, Bombay Staff Corps, "while associated with General Goldsmid, on the Mekran Border," to be continued to that Officer while employed as Political Agent at Khelat. Dated 28th October, 1871.

The following promotions to take place in succession to Major-General H. D. O'Halloran, who died on the 30th September, 1871 :—

Brevet-Colonel Julius Augustus Robert Raines, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, 95th Foot, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such ante-date not to carry back pay prior to 1st October, 1871.

Major Richard Francis Holmes, half-pay, late

89th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major Alfred Stowell Jones, V.C., 13th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Captain George Anthony Morgan, 55th Foot, to be Major. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Admiralty, 20th October, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Julian A. Dashwood has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 9th instant.

Admiralty, 23rd October, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Assistant Paymaster George A. Rowe has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 25th October, 1871.

The Reverend Walter Longman Tucker has this day been appointed a Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lord Portman being appointed to act as Vice Lieutenant of the County of Dorset during the Lord Lieutenant's absence from Great Britain. Dated 17th October, 1871.

Queen's Commission.

2nd Regiment of Royal Cheshire Militia.

William Henry Paul, Major half-pay, late Depôt Battalion, to be Adjutant, from the 14th September, 1871, vice Foster, resigned.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Aberdeen.

Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.

John Henry Udny, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 13th October, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

Dorset Regiment of Militia.

Walter Fitzjames Farquharson, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant, vice Bullen, promoted. Dated 17th October, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Thomas Feild in the 1st Royal Surrey Militia.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

2nd Royal Surrey Militia.

Archibald Hamilton Mathison, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th October, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, *and of the City and County of the City of* York.

4th Regiment of West York Militia.

Thomas Frederick Langford, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Wyatt, removed. Dated 10th October, 1871.

Wyatt William Turnor, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Rhys, removed. Dated 10th October, 1871.

Frank Leslie Joy, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th October, 1871.

Hussar (Princess of Wales's Own) Regiment of Yorkshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Henry Meysey Thompson to be Lieutenant, vice Lord Muncaster, resigned. Dated 2nd October, 1871.

John Dalton, Gent., to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 27th September, 1871.

MEMORANDA.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain Henry Alcock in the 4th Regiment of West York Militia.

Lieutenants Henry Wyatt and Edward Aliwal Watts Horton Rhys, who were absent without leave from the last training of the 4th Regiment of West York Militia, have been removed from the strength of the Regiment.

The Commission of Lieutenant Cecil Vaughan, of the 4th Regiment of West York Militia, has been cancelled.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by

Lieutenant Edwin Arthur Nicholetts in the 5th Regiment of West York Militia.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Quartermaster Joseph Smith, of the Norfolk Militia Artillery, being granted the honorary rank of Captain on his retirement.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk, *and of the City and County of the City of* Norwich.

East Norfolk Militia.

Fortescue Walter Kellet Long, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 20th October, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of OCTOBER 31, 1871.

FIRST APPOINTMENTS, REGIMENTAL PROMOTION, EXCHANGES, &c.

War Office, October 31, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to issue a Warrant under the Royal Sign Manual, of which the following is a copy.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS, by Our Warrant of the 20th July, 1871, We deemed it expedient to cancel and determine, on and after the 1st day of November, in this present year, all Regulations made by Us or any of Our Royal predecessors, or any officers acting under Our authority, regulating

or fixing the prices at which any Commissions in Our Forces may be purchased, sold, or exchanged, or in any way authorising the purchase, or sale, or exchange for money of any such Commissions;

Our Will and Pleasure is,—

That the under-mentioned Articles of Our Warrant of the 27th December, 1870, be cancelled accordingly, viz.:

Articles 33 [Paragraph *a*], 36 [Paragraph *a*], so much of Article 40 as relates to Regimental Promotion, Articles 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 61, 62, 63, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 102, 109, 959, 961, 967, 968, 969, 970.

And whereas it is expedient, pending a more complete revision of that Section of Our said Warrant of 27th December, 1870, which now governs the promotion of combatant Officers, to provide at once for certain necessary changes in respect of First Appointments, Regimental Promotion, and Exchanges;

Our Will and Pleasure is,—

That this Warrant be established and obeyed from the 1st day of November, in this present year, in respect of all matters herein contained, and that it be construed, administered, and interpreted with Our said Warrant of 27th December, 1870.

I.—First Appointments.

Sub-Lieutenants.

1. A Commission as Sub-Lieutenant in Our Army may be given:—

(*a*.) To a successful candidate at a Competitive Examination in general subjects to be

held under such regulations as may be issued from time to time by our Secretary of State.

(*b.*) To a Student from the University of Oxford, Cambridge, Durham, London, Dublin, Edinburgh, St. Andrew's, Glasgow, Aberdeen, or the Queen's University, Ireland, who has passed "Responsions" at Oxford, the "Previous Examination" at Cambridge, or the corresponding Examination at the other Universities, —under such regulations with respect to the age and manner of selection of such candidates as may be issued from time to time by Our Secretary of State.

(*c.*) To Our Cadets styled "Queen's Cadets;" to those styled "Indian Cadets;" and to Our Pages of Honour. These Cadets and Pages of Honour shall pass such a qualifying examination in general subjects as may be fixed from time to time by Our Secretary of State.

(*d.*) To a Non-commissioned Officer who is recommended for promotion by Our Commander-in-Chief, and who shall pass such a professional examination as may be fixed from time to time by Our Secretary of State.

2. Sub-Lieutenants, in order to qualify for the rank of Lieutenant, shall be required to serve satisfactorily for twelve months with one of Our Regiments, and after such service (except in the case of Non-Commissioned Officers promoted to be Sub-Lieutenants,) to go through such a course of study, and to pass such a professional examination, as may be fixed from time to time by Our Secretary of State.

3. Sub-Lieutenants shall be removed from Our

Service for moral or physical unfitness, or if they fail to pass satisfactorily through the prescribed course of study. They shall, except in the case of Non-commissioned Officers promoted to be Sub-Lieutenants, be required to pass the professional examination for the rank of Lieutenant within three years, failing to do which they shall be removed from Our Service. Their time for retirement on full or half-pay shall be reckoned from the date of their Commissions as Lieutenants; and in fixing the date of such Commissions, such portion of their service as Sub-Lieutenants may be allowed as their conduct and qualifications may merit, according to regulations to be issued from time to time by Our Secretary of State.

4. Sub-Lieutenants appointed to a Cavalry Regiment who are not qualified for service in the Cavalry, may be transferred to the Infantry.

Appointment from the Militia.

5. A Commission as Lieutenant in Our Army may be given to a Lieutenant of one of Our Regiments of Militia under such regulations as to age or otherwise as may be issued from time to time by Our Secretary of State. The Officer shall pass a professional examination similar to that which will be required of a Sub-Lieutenant in Our Army before he receives a commission as Lieutenant.

II.—Promotion.

Lieutenants.

6. A Sub-Lieutenant in Our Army may receive a Commission as Lieutenant,—

(*a.*) If he has been promoted to the rank of Sub-Lieutenant from the rank of Non-Commissioned Officer, after a satisfactory service of not less than 12 months as a Sub-Lieutenant;

(*b.*) In the case of other Sub-Lieutenants,—after a satisfactory service of not less than 12 months with one of Our Regiments, and after having gone through a course of study and passed a professional examination, as laid down in Article 2.

Captains.

7. A qualified Lieutenant shall be eligible for promotion to the rank of Captain after two years service in Our Army. In the case of Officers entering Our Army after the 26th August, 1871, this service shall date from the date of their Commissions as Lieutenants; in the case of other Officers, from the date of their first Commissions.

Majors.

8. A qualified Captain shall be eligible for promotion to the rank of Major after six years service in Our Army. In the case of Officers entering Our Army after the 26th August, 1871, this service shall date from the date of their Commissions as Lieutenants; in the case of other Officers, from the date of their first Commissions.

Lieutenant-Colonels.

9. A qualified Officer holding the substantive rank of Major shall be eligible for promotion to the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel.

General Rules.

10. Every promotion shall be made upon the recommendation of Our Commander-in-Chief, with the approval of Our Secretary of State.

11. Succession to vacancies shall be regulated as follows:—

(*a.*) If a vacancy shall arise—

(1.) By the promotion of an Officer to the rank of Major General,

(2.) By the death of an Officer,

(3.) By an Officer becoming Supernumerary under Article 21, or,

(4.) By an Officer being promoted to fill a vacancy in another Regiment or Corps,

the promotions in the several ranks necessary to fill the vacancy shall, unless it shall be expedient that the vacancies be otherwise filled, be given to the senior qualified Officer of each lower rank in the Regiment or Corps, except in the case of promotion to be Lieutenant-Colonel, in which case the vacancy shall be filled by a qualified Officer to be selected by Our Commander-in-Chief with the approval of Our Secretary of State;

(*b*.) If a vacancy shall arise from any other cause, it shall be filled by a qualified Officer of Our Army, who shall be selected by Our Commander-in-Chief with the approval of Our Secretary of State.

12. No selection shall be made in succession to any vacancy caused by the retirement of an Officer, until such retirement shall have been completed, and shall have appeared in the London Gazette.

13. Officers below the rank of Field Officer shall not be recommended to Us for promotion unless they shall have previously passed such professional examination as may be fixed from time to time by Our Secretary of State. Officers serving with their Regiments at distant Foreign Stations may be provisionally promoted to vacancies previous to passing such examination, but such promotion shall be cancelled should the Officer fail in his examination. Captains now in Our Service may be appointed Majors without examination, if

specially reported to and approved by Our Commander-in-Chief as having proved their efficiency for the rank of Major.

14. Lieutenants shall be required to pass the professional examination for the rank of Captain within five years from the date of their Commission as Lieutenants, failing to do which they shall be removed from Our Service, and may receive a sum not exceeding one year's pay; provided that in cases of exigency, Our Secretary of State may enlarge the time allowed for their examination. Officers now in Our Service who received their first Commissions before the 26th day of August, 1871, shall not be liable to the provisions of this Article.

III.—Tenure of Appointments of Major and Lieutenant-Colonel in a Regiment.

15. The appointment of Major in a Regiment or Battalion shall, in the case of Officers so appointed after the date of this Warrant, be held in the first instance for five years; the Officer being eligible for re-appointment. If not re-appointed, he shall receive half-pay.

16. The appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel of a Regiment or Battalion shall, in the case of Officers so appointed after the date of this Warrant, be held in the first instance for five years, and may be renewed if it appear to Our Commander-in-Chief with the approval of Our Secretary of State that such renewal is desirable for the good of Our Service. If the Officer be not re-appointed, he shall receive half-pay.

IV.—Royal Artillery and Engineers.

17. The foregoing Articles of this Warrant, viz., Articles 1 to 16, shall not apply to Our Royal Artillery or Royal Engineers.

V.—Exchanges.

18. Subject to the sanction of Our Commander-in-Chief, Officers of equal substantive rank on full-pay, serving in Our Cavalry, Infantry of the Line, and Colonial Corps, and Officers (below the substantive rank of Field Officer) in Our Indian Staff Corps, may exchange from one Regiment or Corps to another, and Officers of equal substantive rank on full-pay serving in Brigades of Royal Artillery, in Companies of Royal Engineers, or in Regiments of more than one Battalion, may exchange from one Brigade, Company of Royal Engineers, or Battalion to another; provided that the Commanding Officers of the Officers exchanging certify that the desired exchange does not originate in any cause affecting the honour, character, or professional efficiency of the Officers, and provided also that a Certificate of a Military Medical Officer be transmitted in each case, declaring that the Officer is in a fit state to serve at the station where the Corps, Brigade, Battalion, or Company into which he applies to exchange is quartered. Each Officer shall also declare that it is his *bonâ fide* intention to join immediately and do duty in the Corps, Brigade, Battalion, or Company to which he proposes to exchange; and no Officer shall be permitted to retire within six months of the date of his exchange, excepting in the case of ill-health or other emergency, which shall be specially considered.

19. An Officer so exchanging shall be permitted to defray all fair and reasonable expenses incurred through such exchange by the Officer with whom he exchanges, provided that the sum to be paid be approved by Our Commander-in-Chief before payment is made.

20. An Officer exchanging into a Regiment

shall be placed, for Regimental seniority, below all Officers holding the same Regimental rank at the time of his exchange.

VI.—Supernumerary Officers.

21. An Officer may be retained on the strength of his Regiment or Corps as a Supernumerary—

1st. In case of a reduction in the establishment of a Regiment or Corps when his retention is authorised by Our Secretary of State;

2nd. If, in the case of a Field Officer belonging to a Regiment or Battalion serving in India, he be appointed to a Brigade command, or to a Staff situation in that country tenable by a Regimental Officer for the usual period of five years;

3rd. When appointed to be—

(*a.*) Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General, if a substantive Major;

(*b.*) Professor, Instructor, or other Officer on the establishment of Our Royal Military College, Royal Military Academy, or Staff College;

(*c.*) Garrison Instructor, Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General for Musketry, Captain Instructor or Lieutenant Instructor of Musketry;

(*d.*) Adjutant in a Regiment or Corps of Our auxiliary forces;

Or to hold such other appointments as may be fixed from time to time by Our Secretary of State with the approval of the Lords Commissioners of Our Treasury.

22. An Officer supernumerary to the establishment of his Regiment or Corps shall retain his military position, and be eligible for promotion, precisely as if he had remained on the active list of such Regiment or Corps.

23. A Supernumerary Officer under Article 21, on being promoted to a Lieutenant-Colonelcy or Majority in a Regiment or Corps, shall join the Regiment or Corps to which he may be promoted.

24. A Supernumerary Officer who completes the term of service fixed for his appointment, or resigns it on satisfactory grounds, shall rejoin his Regiment as Supernumerary in his rank, except in the case of a substantive Major, who shall receive half-pay until absorbed, retaining his regimental position.

25. A Supernumerary Officer who resigns his appointment on unsatisfactory grounds, or is displaced therefrom for misconduct or incapacity, unless he be removed from Our Army, shall receive a reduced rate of half-pay of such amount and for such period as Our Secretary of State may decide, taking into consideration the length and character of the services rendered by the Officer.

26. If a Supernumerary Officer shall die, be promoted, or retire, or if an Officer of the rank in which there is a Supernumerary Officer waiting absorption under Article 24 shall die, be promoted, or retire, no promotion shall take place in succession to such vacancy.

27. Cases of reduction of establishment shall be specially considered, and such arrangements made for the gradual absorption of Supernumerary Officers as may be approved by the Lords Commissioners of Our Treasury.

VII.—Provisional Arrangements.

28. Cornets and Ensigns in Our Army appointed before the 26th day of August, 1871, and Cornets and Ensigns in Our Army appointed after such date who passed from Our Royal Military College on the A List, may be promoted at

once to the rank of Lieutenant. No greater number of Lieutenants than that allowed by the Establishment which may be fixed for the year shall receive Lieutenant's pay: and no Officer shall receive such pay until he shall have passed the examination required by the existing regulations for the rank of Lieutenant.

29. Other Cornets and Ensigns in our Army appointed after the 26th day of August, 1871,—candidates who have passed the examination for direct commissions before the date of this Our Warrant,—candidates for commissions in the Household Cavalry and Foot Guards who are nominated to fill the vacancies which occur in such Regiments previous to the date of the first competitive examination for Sub-Lieutenancies, and who pass a qualifying examination,—and candidates from the Universities now on the list of Our Commander-in-Chief,—may receive Commissions as Sub-Lieutenants.

30. Such Sub-Lieutenants as have passed satisfactorily through a course of study at Our Royal Military College may be promoted to the rank of Lieutenant after twelve months satisfactory service with one of Our Regiments.

Given at Our Court at *Balmoral*, this thirtieth day of *October*, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, in the thirty-fifth year of Our reign.

By Her Majesty's Command,
Edward Cardwell.

Whitehall, October 30, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto

the Right Honourable Sir Frederic Rogers, Bart., Knight Commander of the Most Distinguished Order of St. Michael and St. George, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Blachford, of Wisdome, in the county of Devon.

Whitehall, October 31, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto the Reverend John Cale Miller, D.D., the place and dignity of a Canon in the Cathedral Church of Worcester, void by the resignation of the Reverend James Bowling Mozley.

Whitehall, October 31, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend David Morrison to the Church and Parish of Dunblane, in the presbytery of Dunblane, and county of Perth, vacant by the resignation of the Reverend James Gerard Young.

War Office, October 30, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of William Law, Esq., Assistant to the Secretaries to the Board of Treasury, and Auditor of the Civil List, and John Henry Parker, Esq., to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign Office, October 27, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Marcos Riglos y Benavente as Consul at Bristol, and of Don Patricio Gibson as Consul at Liverpool for the Republic of Peru.

Foreign Office, October 28, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to approve o Mr. Henry Francis Brown as Consul at Calcutta for His Majesty the King of Denmark.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve o Mr. H. S. van Santen as Consul at Liverpool fo His Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

War Office, Pall Mall,
31st October, 1871.

2nd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lionel Arthu Cecil Fane, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Leigh promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

3rd Dragoon Guards, John Dove Bain, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Fraser, who has retired. Dated 31st October, 1871.

4th Dragoon Guards, Arthyr Grey Lloyd, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Townsend, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

5th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Forster Mayers Clarke to be Captain, by purchase, vice William James Scarlett, who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Cornet John Paul Alexander, Prince Sapieha, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Clarke. Dated 31st October, 1871.

7th Dragoon Guards, The Honourable Lincoln Edwin Stanhope to be Cornet, vice Beckett, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

4th Hussars, Captain Walter Glyn Lawrell, from 9th Lancers, to be Captain, vice Williams, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

5th Lancers, Captain William Vesey Brownlow, from 30th Foot, to be Captain, vice D. R. Vandeleur, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Lieutenant Cyril William Bowdler Bell to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant James Dennis, removed from that appointment. Dated 10th July, 1871.

7th Hussars, Paymaster William Joice, from the 13th Hussars, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Major G. Elliott, who exchanges. Dated 1st November, 1871

9th Lancers, Captain Edward Williams, from the 4th Hussars, to be Captain, vice Lawrell, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Edward George Beazley Tribe, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Fife, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

13th Hussars, Paymaster and Honorary Major George Elliott, from the 7th Hussars, to be Paymaster, vice Joice, who exchanges. Dated 1st November, 1871.

14th Hussars, Cornet Richard Garth to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Ernest Hyder, who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

17th Lancers, George Augustus Wood, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Arkwright, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Royal Artillery, Surgeon Alexander Scott Fogo, M.D., having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Surgeon-Major, under Article 342 of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870. Dated 7th October, 1871.

Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Henry Trotter to be Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel, by purchase, vice Thomas Ferdinand Fairfax, who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Ensign and Lieutenant Fulwar John Colquitt

Craven to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Trotter. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Charles Harward Butler Clarke Wandesforde, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Boyle, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Henry Chaloner Smith, Gent., to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Craven, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Lieutenant and Captain George Lauderdale Houstoun Boswall to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable E. G. P. Littleton, promoted. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Coldstream Guards, Ensign and Lieutenant Augustus Henry Macdonald Moreton to be Lieutenant and Captain, by purchase, vice Edmund Robarts Boyle, who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

The Honourable Henry Power Charles Stanley Monck to be Ensign and Lieutenant, vice Moreton. Dated 31st October, 1871.

1st Foot, Captain W. George Brown to be Major, by purchase, vice George Rowland, who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Lieutenant Frederick Young Wetherall to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brown. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Ensign Harry Gardner, from the 9th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Wetherall. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Gentleman Cadet George Henry B. Coates, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Smith, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Gentleman Cadet Henry Lonsdale Hallewell, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Ross, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Gentleman Cadet John Bignell Head Read, from

the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice O'Connor, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

2*nd Foot*, Captain Charles Deyman Baillie, from half-pay late 3rd Foot, to be Captain, vice Alfred Lewis, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 31st October, 1871.

The second Christian name of Quartermaster Pulsford is *Harvey*.

3*rd Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Richard Richards Breffney Ternan, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Ommanney, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Gentleman Cadet Thomas Edward Kerr Addison, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Howarth, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

9*th Foot*, Captain William Richard Vandeleur, from 48th Foot, to be Captain, vice Grubbe, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

14*th Foot*, Ensign Philip Thomas Gardner has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission. Dated 31st October, 1871.

16*th Foot*, Major Richard Sheil, from 66th Foot, to be Major, vice Hogge, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Lieutenant Granville Vernon to be Captain, by purchase, vice Thomas Russell, who retires. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Ensign Thomas Martin Gerard Thackeray to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Vernon. Dated 28th October, 1871.

24*th Foot*, Lieutenant Ellis Lee to be Captain, by purchase, vice Redmond O'Mahony, who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Ensign Charles Winn Ealand to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Lee. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Gentleman Cadet John Haughton, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Ealand. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon William Tobin to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Campbell Millis Douglas, M.D., V.C., appointed to the Staff. Dated 1st November, 1871.

25*th Foot*, Ensign Arthur Charles Newman to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Duncan William Cork, who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Gentleman Cadet Robert Feild Jameson, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Newman. Dated 31st October, 1871.

30*th Foot*, Captain David Roche Vandeleur, from the 5th Lancers, to be Captain, vice Brownlow, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

35*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Charles Haydon Wilkinson Cafe, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Grove, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

36*th Foot*, Captain Pearson Thomas Beames, from half-pay, late 11th Foot, to be Captain, vice Redmond B. C. Daubeny, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Lieutenant William Skerrett to be Captain, by purchase, vice Beames, who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Ensign Gervas Selwyn Eyre to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Skerrett. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Gentleman Cadet Charles Pulley, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Thornton, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 31st October, 1871.

38*th Foot*, Ensign Henry George Hilliard Stokes to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice John Smyth Nelson, deceased. Dated 10th September, 1871.

42*nd Foot*, Lieutenant John Edmund Audley Harvey, from the 51st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice George Frederick Campbell, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

46*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Alfred M. Brennan, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Johnson, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

48*th Foot*, Captain Henry George Hunt Grubbe, from 9th Foot, to be Captain, vice W. R. Vandeleur, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

51*st Foot*, Lieutenant George Frederick Campbell, from the 42nd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Harvey, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

52*nd Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Dacres Butler to be Captain, by purchase, vice John Philip Mickleburgh, who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Ensign Ernest Gerard Leycester to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Butler. Dated 31st October, 1871.

54*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Thomas Smalley Boileau, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Wedderburn, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

66*th Foot*, Major Somerville G. C. Hogge, from 16th Foot, to be Major, vice Sheil, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

67*th Foot*, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel

Frederick Cockayne Elton, V.C., from half-pay, late 21st Foot, to be Major, vice Charles Morgan, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Captain Charles B. Knowles to be Major, by purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Elton, V.C., who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Lieutenant Philip Quirk to be Captain, by purchase, vice Knowles. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Ensign Henry Crowe to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Quirk. Dated 31st October, 1871.

68*th Foot*, Lieutenant Harry St. George Ord, from 93rd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Semple, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

69*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Hugh Bertram Nathaniel Bewicke, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Wedge, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Gentleman Cadet Richard John Gordon Creed, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice King, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

81*st Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Frederick Arthur Heathcote, from Royal Military College, to be Ensign, vice Fordyce, transferred to 56th Foot. Dated 31st October, 1871.

86*th Foot*, Ensign Arthur James Pattison to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Regnier Campbell Moore, who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

87*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Horace Wilson to be Captain, by purchase, by George William F. Davies Smith, who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Ensign Thomas Davison to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Wilson. Dated 31st October, 1871.

88*th Foot*, Lieutenant Thomas Hale to be Captain, by purchase, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Emilius C. Delmé Radcliffe, who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Ensign John Philpot Curran to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hale. Dated 31st October 1871.

90*th Foot*, Captain John Heron Maxwell, from half-pay, late 1st Foot, to be Captain, vice John David Downing, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Lieutenant William Stewart Hamilton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Maxwell, who retires. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Ensign Joseph Henry Laye to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Hamilton. Dated 31st October, 1871.

93*rd Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Semple, from 68th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Ord, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

99*th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Cavendish Nevile, from 2nd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Banfather, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

101*st Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Arthur Wapshare, from the Royal Military College, to be Ensign. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Serjeant-Major Thomas Boyton, to be Quartermaster, vice Frederick Luttrell, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 1st November, 1871.

102*nd Foot*, Ensign Edward Pilkington Elliott, to be Lieutenant, vice George Todderick Beasley, deceased. Dated 16th October, 1871.

Rifle Brigade, Ensign Charles John Knott, to be Quartermaster, vice Joseph Clarke, who retires upon half-pay. Dated 1st November, 1871.

1st West India Regiment, Major John McAuley to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Henry Anton, deceased. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major Alexander Bravo to be Major, without purchase, vice McAuley. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Lieutenant Christopher Branford Steward to be Captain, without purchase, vice Brevet-Major Bravo. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

Ensign Joseph Graham Smith to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice Steward. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

2nd West India Regiment, Lieutenant Edward Henry Banfather, from the 99th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Nevile, who exchanges. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Alfred George Streatfield Beadnell, Gent., to be Ensign, vice Jones, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Cavalry Depôt, Cornet Charles Willoughby Hemans, 20th Hussars, to be Instructor of Musketry. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Control Department.

Deputy Controller Alexander Gun is placed on the retired list. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Assistant Controller Matthew Winter is placed on the retired list. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Supply and Transport Sub Department, Ensign Charles Henry Santi, from the 61st Foot, to be Assistant Commissary. Dated 1st September, 1870.

Ensign Robert Alexander Chermside, from the 88th Foot, to be Assistant Commissary. Dated 1st September, 1870.

African Branch, Commissary James Nelson Marsdon, from the African Commissariat Department, to be Commissary. Dated 12th February, 1870. Date of relative rank 6th October, 1869.

Assistant Commissary Martin Day Sayers, from the African Commissariat Department, to be Assistant Commissary. Dated 12th February, 1870. Date of relative rank 1st January, 1869.

Assistant Commissary Edward Hyndman Beckles, from the African Commissariat Department, to be Assistant Commissary. Dated 12th February, 1870. Date of relative rank 19th February, 1869.

Assistant Commissary Henry Wyatt, from the African Commissariat Department, to be Assistant Commissary. Dated 12th February, 1870. Date of relative rank 5th May, 1869.

Assistant Commissary Henry Frederick Blissett, from the African Commissariat Department, to be Assistant Commissary. Dated 12th February, 1870. Date of relative rank 11th August, 1869.

Medical Department, Staff Surgeon Robert Thomas Buckle, M.D., having completed twenty years' full-pay service, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, under Article 342 of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Campbell Millis Douglas, M.D., V.C., from the 24th Foot, to be Staff Assistant Surgeon, vice William Tobin, appointed to the 24th Foot. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Veterinary Department, Henry Thomson, Gent., to be Acting Veterinary-Surgeon, vice Garratt, appointed to 13th Hussars. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Royal Military Academy, Lieutenant Frank Johnson, Royal Artillery, from Lieutenant of a Company of Gentleman Cadets, to be Adjutant and Quartermaster, vice Lieutenant G. J. Burgmann, Royal Artillery, promoted. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Souper, Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant of a Company of Gentlemen Cadets, vice Johnson. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Half-Pay, The promotion of Captain and Brevet-Major Alexander Bravo, from the 1st West India Regiment, to a Majority, without purchase, on the 22nd July, 1871, has been cancelled.

BREVET.

Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur James Fremantle, Coldstream Guards, having completed the qualifying service, with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870. Dated 12th September, 1871.

Paymaster with the honorary rank of Captain Martin Doorly, retired upon half-pay late 1st West India Regiment, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Paymaster with the honorary rank of Captain Robert Thompson, 53rd Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 24th October, 1871.

The undermentioned Quartermasters, who retire upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Captain:—

Joseph Clarke, Rifle Brigade. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Frederick Luttrell, 101st Foot. Dated 1st November, 1871.

George William Taylor, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st November, 1871.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers to have a step of honorary rank as follows:—

To be Captain.

Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary Edward Gillis, Bengal Establishment. Dated 7th December 1870.

To be Lieutenants.

Ensign and Assistant Commissary Donald McLeod, Bengal Establishment. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Ensign and Assistant Commissary Thomas Taylor, Madras Establishment. Dated 4th July, 1871.

To be Ensign.

Deputy Assistant Commissary Patrick Grice, Bengal Establishment. Dated 7th December, 1870.

The second Christian name of Ensign and Deputy Assistant Commissary Knight is *Farnham*, and not *Frederick*, as stated in the Gazette of 4th April, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Superintending Schoolmasters to be Sub-Inspectors of Army Schools:—

John Newsom. Dated 1st April, 1871.
John Little. Dated 1st April, 1871.
John Grant. Dated 1st April, 1871.
John Belling. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Robert Kirk. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Samuel Stockham. Dated 1st April, 1871.

William Savage. Dated 1st April, 1871.
George Robertson. Dated 1st April, 1871.
John Stewart. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Thomas Earp. Dated 1st April, 1871.
Charles Carnegie. Dated 1st April, 1871.
William Thacker. Dated 1st April, 1871.

Admiralty, 28th October, 1871.

The Reverend John Booth Budds has this day been appointed a Chaplain and Naval Instructor in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 30th October, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from this date :—

Assistant Paymaster William E. Hicks.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of the Town of Haverfordwest.

Howard Spear Morgan, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 17th October, 1871.
Owen Henry Philipps Scourfield, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 17th October, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Inverness.

Sir John William Ramsden, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October, 1871.
John Andrew Macdonald, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 26th October, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

The Honourable William Francis Littleton to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 8th August, 1871.

MEMORANDA.

The resignation of the Commission of Captain Thomas Byrnand Trappes in the 1st Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia has been cancelled. Dated 23rd October, 1871.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Surgeon Richard Trafford Whitehead in the 7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia, and in consideration of his services to approve of his being permitted to wear the uniform of the Regiment. Dated 18th October, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Assistant-Surgeon John Parks to be Surgeon, vice Whitehead, resigned. Dated 19th October, 1871.

Lancashire Hussar Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant Adolphus Moubert to be Supernumerary Captain. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Cornet Arthur Robertson Gladstone to be Lieutenant, vice Moubert, promoted. Dated 28th September, 1871.

The Honourable Edward Francis John Preston to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 28th September, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

1st or Royal East Middlesex Regiment of Militia.

Marteine Owen Mowbray Lloyd to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 19th October, 1871.

Uxbridge Yeomanry Cavalry.

Henry John Loftus to be Cornet. Dated 11th July, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Denbigh.

Royal Denbigh Militia.

Robert John Maude, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 25th October, 1871.

Arthur William Mostyn Owen, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th October, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 3, 1871.

AT the Court at *Windsor*, the 16th day of *May*, 1871.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty.

His Royal Highness Prince ARTHUR.

Lord Privy Seal.	Lord Chamberlain.
Earl Cowper.	Mr. Secretary Cardwell.
Earl of Kimberley.	Mr. Ayrton.

WHEREAS by an Ordinance passed by the General Assembly of New Zealand in Parliament assembled in the twenty-fourth year of Her

Majesty's reign, the short title whereof is "The Supreme Court Act, 1860," it was enacted, amongst other things, that the Supreme Court of New Zealand should be a Court of Record for the administration of justice throughout the Colony with the powers and jurisdictions therein mentioned: and whereas by another Ordinance passed by the said General Assembly in the twenty-sixth year of Her Majesty's reign, the short title whereof is "The Court of Appeal Act, 1862," it was enacted, amongst other things, that there should be a Court of Record in the said Colony, to be styled "The Court of Appeal in New Zealand," with the powers and jurisdiction therein also mentioned: and whereas no appeal to Her Majesty in Council from any judgment, either of the said Supreme Court or of the said Court of Appeal, was reserved or given by the said Ordinances or either of them, and doubts may possibly arise whether it is competent for a party to any proceeding before the said Supreme or Appellate Courts to appeal from a decision of the same Courts, or either of them, to Her Majesty in Council; and whereas no rules have been made by Her Majesty since the passing of the said Ordinances for admitting appeals from the said Appellate Court: and whereas it is desirable that provision should be made for regulating and defining the right of parties to appeal from the decisions of the said Appellate Court to Her Majesty in Council:

It is hereby ordered by the Queen's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, that any person or persons may appeal to Her Majesty, Her heirs, and successors, in Her or their Privy Council, from any judgment, decree, order, or sentence of the said Appellate Court of New Zealand, pronounced, made, or given

in any civil suit or proceeding, in such manner, within such time, and under and subject to such rules, regulations, and limitations as are hereinafter mentioned; that is to say: in case the said Court of Appeal shall affirm, reverse, alter, or vary any judgment, decree, order, or sentence of the said Supreme Court, to be given or pronounced for or in respect of any sum or matter at issue of the amount or value of five hundred pounds sterling or upwards, or involving directly or indirectly any claim, demand, or question to or respecting property, or any civil right of the said amount or value, the person or persons feeling aggrieved by any such judgment, decree, order, or sentence of the said Court of Appeal, may, within fourteen clear days next after the same shall have been pronounced, made, or given, apply to the said Court of Appeal, by motion or petition, for leave to appeal therefrom to Her Majesty in Council, Her heirs and successors; and in case such leave to appeal shall be prayed by the party or parties who is or are directed to pay any such sum of money, or perform any act or duty, the said Court of Appeal shall, and is hereby empowered, either to direct that the judgment, decree, order, or sentence appealed from, shall be carried into execution, or that the execution thereof shall be suspended pending the said appeal, as to the said Court may appear to be most consistent with real and substantial justice; and in case the said Court of Appeal shall direct such judgment, decree, order, or sentence to be carried into execution, the person or persons in whose favour the same shall be given, shall, before the execution thereof, enter into good and sufficient security, to be approved by the said Court of Appeal, for the due performance of such judgment or order as Her Majesty in Council, Her heirs and successors

shall think fit to make thereupon; and in case the Court of Appeal shall direct the execution of any such judgment, decree, order, or sentence to be stayed, the party against whom the same shall have been given, shall in like manner enter into sufficient security, to be approved as last aforesaid, for the due performance of such judgment or order as Her Majesty in Council shall make thereupon; and in all cases of appeal to Her Majesty in Council, the party or parties appellant shall give sufficient security to be approved as last aforesaid, for the effectual prosecution of the appeal, and for the payment of all such costs as may be awarded by Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, or by the Judicial Committee of Her Majesty's Privy Council to the party or parties respondent; and if such security shall be entered into and given within three clear calendar months from the date of such motion or petition for leave to appeal, then, and not otherwise, the said Court of Appeal shall allow the appeal, and the party or parties appellant shall be at liberty to prefer and prosecute his, her, or their appeal to Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, in Her or their Privy Council, in such manner and under such rules as are or may be observed in appeals made to Her Majesty, from Her Majesty's Colonies and Plantations abroad. And it is further ordered, that in all cases where leave to appeal to Her Majesty in Council shall be granted, the said Court of Appeal shall certify and transmit to Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, in Her or their Privy Council, a true and exact copy of all evidence, proceedings, judgments, decrees, and orders had or made in such cases appealed, so far as the same have relation to the matters of appeal, such copies to be certified under the seal of the Court from which such

appeal shall proceed, and that the said Court shall also certify and transmit to Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, in Her or their Privy Council, a copy of the reasons given by the Judges of such Court, or by any of such Judges for or against the judgment or determination appealed against, where such reasons shall have been given in writing, and where such reasons shall have been given orally, then a statement in writing of the reasons given by the Judges of such Court, or by any of such Judges for or against the judgment or determination appealed against.

And it is further directed and ordained, that the said Appellate Court shall, in all cases of appeal to Her Majesty, Her heirs or successors, conform to and execute, or cause to be executed, such judgments and orders, as Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, shall think fit to make in the premises, in such manner as any original judgment, decree, or decretal order, or other order or rule of the said Court should or might have been executed.

Provided always, and it is hereby ordered, that nothing herein contained shall extend or be construed to extend to take away or abridge the undoubted right and authority of Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, upon the humble petition of any person or persons aggrieved by any judgment, decree, order, or sentence of the said Courts, or either of them, to admit his, her, or their appeal to Her Majesty in Council from any such judgment, decree, order, or sentence, either of the said Supreme Court or of the said Court of Appeal, upon such terms and upon such securities, limitations, restrictions, and regulations as Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, shall think fit, and to affirm, reverse, correct, or vary such

judgment or determination as to Her Majesty, Her heirs and successors, shall seem meet.

And the Right Honourable the Earl of Kimberley, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

Edmund Harrison.

Foreign Office, November 2, 1871.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Declaration signed at Paris, on the 29th of June, 1869, by Her Majesty's Ambassador and the Minister of the Sandwich Islands at that capital, on behalf of their respective Governments, cancelling so much of Article VII. of the Treaty of Friendship, Commerce, and Navigation, concluded between Great Britain and the Sandwich Islands on the 10th of July, 1851, as relates to British Whale Ships visiting the ports of those Islands, and continuing the rest of the Treaty for a fixed period of seven years, which Declaration was laid before Parliament on the 6th and 7th of July, 1869, has, by the mutual consent of Her Majesty's Government and the Government of the Sandwich Islands, been annulled, the said Treaty subsisting as if the Declaration in question had not been made.

India Office, November 1, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to nominate and appoint Colonel Frederic John Goldsmid, C.B., Madras Staff Corps, now employed on a Special Mission to Persia, with the local rank of Major-General, and late Superintendent of the Indo-European Telegraph, to be a Knight Commander of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

Downing Street, November 1, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Armstrong, Esq, to be Chief Justice of the Island of Saint Lucia.

(C. 1037.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 2, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Copenhagen, reporting that the Danish Government have declared by a Notice of the 24th ultimo, the ports of Königsberg and Stettin free from cholera, and that vessels arriving from those places will be admitted to free pratique.

(C. 1044.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 2, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of Notices of the Portuguese Government, declaring Buenos Ayres and the ports of Chili free from yellow fever, and the Island of Cuba suspected of the same disorder from the 30th September last.

(C. 1045.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 2, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid stating, with reference to the new

Spanish Regulation (published in the London Gazette of the 2nd October), providing for the imposition of duty on foreign coals and coke according to the measurement of the importing vessel, that if any difference be found to exist between the full Spanish metrical capacity of the ship, and the quantity of coal conveyed and delivered, a tenfold tonnage is to be exacted upon the quantity short-carried.

War Office, Pall Mall,
3rd November, 1871.

Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant-General William Turnbull Renwick to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Field-Marshal Sir John Fox Burgoyne, Bart., G.C.B., deceased. Dated 8th October, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel Charles Vaughan Wilkieson (late Madras) to be Colonel, vice A. J. M. Boileau, deceased. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Captain John Frederick Fisher (late Madras) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Wilkieson. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Second Captain William Henry Burton (late Madras) to be Captain, vice Fisher. Dated 9th August, 1871.

Lieutenant Arthur Frank Hamilton (late Madras) to be Second Captain, vice Burton. Dated 9th August, 1871.

The temporary Commissions as Lieutenant of the undermentioned Officers to be made permanent, from the 7th July, 1869 :—

Henry John Harman.
Alfred Edmund Dobson.
George Robert Rollo Savage.
Alfred Porcelli.

The undermentioned Officers, who were placed on the Seconded List (without succession in their Corps), for employment in the Public Works Department in India, to be now placed on the Effective List :—

Captain.

Alexander De Courcy Scott.

Second Captains.

Henry Helsham Jones.
John Thomas Twigge.
George Swetenham.
Daniel Corrie Walker.
John Henry Crowdy.

Lieutenants.

Robert John Bond.
George Henry Law Pole.
Charles Bowen.
Edward Toler Wynne.
George Gordon Chamberlin Bigsby.
John Mabbott Morgan.
Thomas Howard.
Archibald Lewis Buckle.
Stephen Weston Jenner.
Edward Harvey.
Thomas Glancy.
Ralph R. Evans Brockman.
William Arthur James Wallace.
Alfred Glynn Begbie.
Matthew Townsend Sale.
Thomas Joseph Willans.
James Robert McCullagh.
Malcolm William Rogers.
Richard Arthur Sargeaunt.
George Ainslie Lechmere Aston Whitmore.
Albert Eugene Dümmler.
Clayton Scudamore Beauchamp.
William Osborn.

Lestock Francis Boilcau.
Charles Edward Pridden.
Thomas Brown Blake Savi.
Andrew Wilson Baird.
Mark Sever Bell.
George Fletcher Ottley Boughey.
Willingham Franklin Richardson.
Richard Tudor Frere.
John Hill.
George Tindall Plunkett.
Edward Merry Larminie.
Lothian Kerr Scott.
William Gordon Ross.
Thomas Hungerford Holdich.
Frederick Savile Shepherd.
Thomas Gracey.
William Hans Rathborne.
William Henry Haydon.
John Grieve Hall.
Henry Hardy Cole.
Henry Charles Reynolds.
Henry Campbell Macdiarmid.
William Sinclair Smith Bisset.
William Henry Coaker.
Francis Mascall.
Frank Vincent Corbett.
John Walter Ottley.
Sydenham John Lambert.
Alexander Donald McArthur.
John Lawrence Macpherson.
James Ford Dorward.
Conway James.
William Lees Greenstreet.
Godfrey Hildebrand.
Osbert Chadwick.
John Thomas Wright.
Ambrose Awdry.
Henry Harding Murphy.

John Barber Lindsell.
Russell Richard Pulford.
James Brown.
Macgregor Greer.
Edward Chichester Hart.
Henry Sidney Freeman Haynes.
Sydney Long Jacob.
John Simpson Nicholson.
Napoleon Arnott.
George Robert Walker.
Duncan MacNeil Campbell.
Charles Claude Clifton Barlow.
William Robert Purchas.
Charles Howard Peregrine Christie.
Edward Crozier Sibbald Moore.
Edward Pemberton Leach.
Samuel Compton Turner.
Charles Frederic Call.
Harry Molesworth Chambers.
Felician Rola de Wolski.
Walter Harveis James.
William Henry Johnstone.
Matthew Henry Gregson.
Henry Hamilton Settle.
Richard Gardiner.
John Hare.
William Whiteford Bell Whiteford.

Admiralty, 30*th October*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Bertie W. Vernon has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 27th instant.

Admiralty, 1st November, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their respective ranks from the dates stated against their names:—

Admiral Sir Charles Talbot, K.C.B., from the 1st instant.

Captain Warren Hastings Anderson, from the 22nd ultimo.

Commander Alfred Henry Alston, from the 1st instant.

Commander the Right Honourable John Vansittart Danvers, Earl of Lanesborough.

Surgeon Francis McAree, from the 23rd ultimo.

Paymaster Corbett C. Edwards, from this date.

Admiralty, 2nd November, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Vice-Admiral Sir Henry Kellett, K.C.B., has this day been placed on the Retired List.

The undermentioned promotions of to-day's date have been made in consequence of the above retirement:—

Rear-Admiral William Loring, C.B., to be a Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Consequent on the foregoing, the following promotions on the Retired List, from the same date, have also taken place:—

Retired Rear-Admirals:

Thomas Fisher,

Thomas L. Gooch,

George A. Halsted.
William L. Sherringham,
to be Retired Vice-Admirals.

The undermentioned Officers on the Reserved List have also been advanced to the rank of Reserved Vice-Admirals :—

Reserved Rear-Admirals :
Cospatrick B. Hamilton,
Sir James C. Caffin, K.C.B.,
Robert Tryon,
to be Reserved Vice-Admirals.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

Edward Temperley Gourley, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th October, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sutherland.

Dugald Gilchrist, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 30th October, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

2nd Royal Surrey Militia.

Charles James Orr, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th October, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

2nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Major Henry Riversdale Grenfell to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant, vice the Viscount Enfield, resigned. Dated 21st September, 1871.

5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

George Hale Lane to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 19th October, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk, *and of the City and County of the City of* Norwich.

Norfolk Artillery Militia.

General His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, K.G., &c., to be Honorary Colonel. Dated 28th October, 1871.

West Norfolk Militia.

Lieutenant John Haughton to be Captain. Dated 30th October, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

2nd King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

Captain Morton Edward Buller to be Major, vice Lord Wrottesley, resigned. Dated 10th October, 1871.

Lieutenant John Wallace Pilkington Lowe to be Captain, vice Sneyd, resigned. Dated 10th October, 1871.

Lieutenant John Pilkington Baldwin to be Captain, vice Buller, promoted. Dated 10th October, 1871.

John Henry Monckton, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Baldwin, promoted. Dated 10th October, 1871.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 3, 1871.

By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS Our Parliament stands prorogued to the seventh day of November instant: We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, hereby issue Our Royal Proclamation, and publish and declare that the said Parliament be further prorogued to Wednesday, the twenty-seventh day of December next.

Given at Our Court at *Balmoral*, this third day of *November*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and in the thirty-fifth year of Our reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 3rd day of *November*, 1871.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council that the Convocations of the Provinces of Canterbury and York be prorogued from the

day to which the same now stand prorogued to Thursday, the twenty-eighth day of December next; and the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain is to cause Writs to be prepared and issued in the usual manner for proroguing the Convocations accordingly.

At the Court at *Balmoral*, the 3rd day of *November*, 1871.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, Sir James Shaw Willes; Sir Montague Edward Smith; Sir Edward Lugard, G.C.B.; and Sir Robert Porrett Collier, were, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their places at the Board accordingly.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 7, 1871.

Whitehall, November 3, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir James William Colvile, Knt., to be a Member of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council for the purposes and under the provisions of an Act passed in the last Session of Parliament, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the despatch of Business by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council."

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Montague Edward Smith, Knt., to be a Member of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council for the purposes and under the provisions of an Act passed in the last Session of Parliament, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the despatch of Business by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council."

Whitehall, November 6, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland declaring Edith Maud, Countess of Loudoun, the wife of Charles Frederick Abney Hastings, Esq., Baroness Botreaux, she being the elder of the four sisters and coheirs of the late Most Honourable Henry Weysford Charles Plantagenet, Marquess of Hastings and Baron Botreaux, and as such one of the coheirs of the Barony of Botreaux, originating by Writ of Summons to Parliament, granted to William Botreaux on the 24th of February, in the 42nd year of the reign of King Edward the Third, and that she the said Edith Maud, Countess of Loudoun, shall be Baroness Botreaux, and have, hold, and enjoy the said Barony of Botreaux together with all the rights, titles, privileges, pre-eminences, immunities, and advantages and the precedency thereunto belonging to hold to her and the heirs of her body, in as full and ample manner as the said Henry Weysford Charles Plantagenet, Marquess of Hastings, the last Baron Botreaux, or any of his ancestors Barons Botreaux or the said William Botreaux held and enjoyed the same.

Whitehall, November 6, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the

United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland declaring Edith Maud, Countess of Loudoun, the wife of Charles Frederick Abney Hastings, Esq., Baroness Hungerford, she being the elder of the four sisters and coheirs of the late Most Honourable Henry Weysford Charles Plantagenet, Marquess of Hastings and Baron Hungerford, and as such one of the coheirs of the Barony of Hungerford, originating by Writ of Summons to Parliament, granted to Sir Walter Hungerford, on the 7th of January, in the 4th year of the reign of King Henry the Sixth, and that she the said Edith Maud, Countess of Loudoun, shall be Baroness Hungerford, and have, hold, and enjoy the said Barony of Hungerford, together with all the rights, titles, privileges, pre-eminences, immunities, and advantages and the precedency thereunto belonging to hold to her and the heirs of her body, in as full and ample manner as the said Henry Weysford Charles Plantagenet, Marquess of Hastings, the last Baron Hungerford, or any of his ancestors Barons Hungerford or the said Sir Walter Hungerford held and enjoyed the same.

Whitehall, November 6, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland declaring Edith Maud, Countess of Loudoun, the wife of Charles Frederick Abney Hastings, Esq., Baroness de Moleyns, she being the elder of the four sisters and coheirs of the late Most Honourable Henry Weysford Charles Plantagenet, Marquess of Hastings and Baron de Moleyns, and as such one of the coheirs of the Barony of de Moleyns, originating by Writ of Summons to Parliament, granted to Robert Hungerford, on the 13th of January, in the 23rd year of the reign of

King Henry the Sixth, and that she the said Edith Maud, Countess of Loudoun, shall be Baroness de Moleyns, and have, hold, and enjoy the said Barony of de Moleyns, together with all the rights, titles, privileges, pre-eminences, immunities, and advantages and the precedency thereunto belonging to hold to her and the heirs of her body, in as full and ample manner as the said Henry Weysford Charles Plantagenet, Marquess of Hastings, the last Baron de Moleyns, or any of his ancestors Barons de Moleyns or the said Robert Hungerford held and enjoyed the same.

Whitehall, November 6, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland declaring Edith Maud, Countess of Loudoun, the wife of Charles Frederick Abney Hastings, Esq., Baroness Hastings, she being the elder of the four sisters and coheirs of the late Most Honourable Henry Weysford Charles Plantagenet, Marquess of Hastings and Baron Hastings, and as such one of the coheirs of the Barony of Hastings, originating by Writ of Summons to Parliament, granted to William Hastings, on the 26th of July, in the 1st year of the reign of King Edward the Fourth, and that she the said Edith Maud, Countess of Loudoun, shall be Baroness Hastings, and have, hold, and enjoy the said Barony of Hastings, together with all the rights, titles, privileges, pre-eminences, immunities, and advantages and the precedency thereunto belonging to hold to her and the heirs of her body, in as full and ample manner as the said Henry Weysford Charles Plantagenet, Marquess of Hastings, the last Baron Hastings, or any of his ancestors Barons Hastings

or the said William Hastings held and enjoyed the same.

Whitehall, November 7, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignities of Viscount and Earl of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable Frederick Temple, Baron Dufferin and Claneboye, in that part of the said United Kingdom called Ireland, K.P., K.C.B., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the names, styles, and titles, of Viscount Clandeboye of Clandeboye, in the county of Down, and Earl of Dufferin, in the said county of Down.

War Office, November 7, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of William Henry Stephenson, Esq., C.B., Chairman of the Board of Inland Revenue, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Crown Office, November 7, 1871.

Her Majesty has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to constitute and appoint Sir Robert Porrett Collier, Knt., Serjeant-at-Law, one of the Justices of Her Court of Common Pleas.

(C. 1054.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 6, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,

further information relating to an International Exhibition proposed to be held at Vienna in 1873, opening on the 1st of May and closing on the 31st October of the same year. Translations of the Programme, the List of Commissioners, and the Scheme of Classification and Divisions, can be seen on application at the Board of Trade, Whitehall-gardens.

(C. 1055.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 6, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs copies of Notices of the Portuguese Government, declaring the Port of Hamburg, the Hanse Towns, and all the ports of Hanover, to be free from Cholera Morbus since the 4th ultimo, and the port of Altona to be removed from the category of "infected" to that of "suspected" since the 1st ultimo.

(C. 1056.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 6, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice of the Portuguese Government, declaring the Port of Riga, by a previous Notice considered infected with Cholera Morbus, to be now suspected of the same disorder since the 14th ultimo.

(C. 1065.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 7, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs,

a copy of a Law of the German Empire, dated the 28th September last, and published on the 14th ultimo, abolishing the legal currency of notes of the Bank of France in Alsace and Lorraine.

(C. 1066.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 7, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Note from the Greek Minister at this Court, stating, with reference to the quarantine regulation published in the London Gazette of the 20th ultimo, that vessels arriving in Greece from ports of the Mediterranean which are infected with Cholera will not be submitted to a new quarantine if they have certificates of health visé by the Hellenic Consul, according to the regulations in force.

Admiralty, 3rd November, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their rank from this date:—

Chief Engineer William H. Grose.
Assistant Paymaster Philip W. G. Canning.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Argyll.

Argyll Artillery Militia.

James Lindsay MacCall, Gent., Lieutenant half-pay, Royal Marines, to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th October, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

North Durham Militia.

Peter Leslie Peacocke, Esq., late Lieutenant 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Captain. Dated 13th October, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Derby.

1st Derbyshire Militia.

Lieutenant William Thomas Cox to be Captain, vice Paget, resigned. Dated 3rd November, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

2nd or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

The Viscount Enfield, M.P., to be Honorary Colonel, vice the Earl of Strafford, resigned. Dated 21st September, 1871.

5th or Royal Elthorne Light Infantry Regiment of Middlesex Militia.

Daniel Paterson Barry, M.D., Staff Surgeon-Major, half-pay, to be Surgeon, vice Vipan, resigned. Dated 26th October, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Worcester.

Queen's Own Regiment of Worcestershire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Herbert Hay Langham, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Herbert Pakington, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st October, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 10, 1871.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, November 10, 1871.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed after Tuesday, the 14th instant, until further orders.

Whitehall, November 9, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Mayow Wynell Mayow, M.A., to the Rectory of Southam, in the county of Warwick, and diocese of Worcester, void by the cession of the Reverend Temple Hillyard, the last Incumbent.

Crown Office, November 10, 1871.

Her Majesty has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to constitute and appoint Sir John Duke Coleridge, Knt. (now Her Majesty's Solicitor-General), Her Majesty's Attorney-General.

Her Majesty has also been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to constitute and appoint George Jessel, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law, Her Majesty's Solicitor-General.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-second year of the reign of Her Most Gracious

Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to "extend the Act of the twenty-fourth year of "King George the Third, chapter twenty-six, for "issuing writs during any recess of the House of "Commons, whether by prorogation or adjourn-"ment;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty intituled "An Act to further limit and define the "time for proceeding to Election during the "Recess:"

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, in the manner required by the said Act, that Sir Robert Porrett Collier, Knt., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the borough of Plymouth, hath accepted the office of one of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas, and has been gazetted thereto in the London Gazette, dated the 7th day of November, 1871, and has thereby vacated his seat; and that I shall issue my warrant to the Clerk of the Crown, to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said borough, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this eighth day of November, 1871.

J. E. Denison, Speaker.

India Office, November 2, 1871.

Under the provisions of 32 and 33 of Her present Majesty, cap. 97, Sir Henry James Sumner Maine, K.C.S.I., D.C.L., has been appointed a Member of the Council of India, in the room of Elliot Macnaghten, Esq., resigned.

(C. 1072-1074.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 9, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, Despatches from Her Majesty's Consuls at Chaente, Nantes, and Dunkirk, relative to a Circular of the French Government, in accordance with which vessels arriving from foreign ports are required to be provided with a bill of health bearing the visa of a French Consul.

(C. 1073.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 9, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from the Governor of Barbados stating that he has established a quarantine of twenty-three days against vessels and persons coming from the Island of Trinidad, in consequence of the prevalence of small-pox at Port of Spain.

War Office, Pall Mall,
10*th November*, 1871.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel George Bourchier, C.B. (late Bengal), to be Colonel, vice Knatchbull, removed as a General Officer. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Alexander Renny, V.C. (late Bengal), to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Bourchier, C.B. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Second Captains to be Captains.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James Hills, V.C. (late Bengal), vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Renny, V.C. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Brevet Major and Adjutant Henry Le Guay Geary, vice C. W. Wilson, seconded. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Walter Brook Rice, vice A. D. Burnaby, seconded. Dated 17th October, 1871.

George Uchter Knox, vice F. Lyon, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 21st October, 1871.

Osborne Hall Goodenough, on the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th November, 1871.

James Hamilton Pringle Anderson, vice T. B. Strange, seconded. Dated 11th November, 1871.

Henry Chamberlayne Farrell, vice C. G. Johnson, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 11th November, 1871.

Lewis Paxton Walsh, vice A. H. C. Hamilton, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 11th November, 1871.

Lieutenants to be Second Captains.

John Clinton Greene (late Bengal), vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Hills, V.C. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Charles Smith Harvey, vice Brevet Major Geary. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Robert Henderson Robertson, vice W. B. Rice. Dated 17th October, 1871.

Charles Frederick Dixon, from the Seconded List, vice Knox. Dated 21st October, 1871.

Charles Crosthwaite, vice Anderson. Dated 11th November, 1871.

Anthony Oliver Molesworth, vice Farrell. Dated 11th November, 1871.

Harry Dacres Evans, vice Walsh. Dated 11th November, 1871.

James Murray Murray, vice H. M. Borton, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 11th November, 1871.

Walter John Tatham, vice W. G. Stirling, who retires from the Service on an annuity. Dated 11th November, 1871.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Walter Cotton, from half-pay, vice D. V. Shortland (late Madras), promoted. Dated 11th November, 1871.

To be Adjutants.

Second Captain Samuel Pasfield Oliver, vice Wortham, promoted. Dated 14th October, 1871.

Second Captain Henry Manvers Moorsom, vice Harvey, appointed to the Riding Establishment. Dated 23rd October, 1871.

Second Captain William Arthur Roberts, vice Brevet-Major Geary, promoted. Dated 11th November, 1871.

To be Quartermaster.

Quartermaster John Cochran, from half-pay, vice G. Kirkham, deceased. Dated 11th November, 1871.

Second Captain James Corry Jones Lowry, on the Supernumerary List, has been permitted to retire from the Service on an annuity. Dated 21st October, 1871.

Lieutenant Francis Harry Emilius Day has been permitted to retire from the Service on an annuity. Dated 11th November, 1871.

Lieutenant Edward Lawrence Bevir has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 11th November. 1871.

The second Christian name of Lieutenant Dalrymple is *Bertram*, and not *Bertam*, as stated in the Gazette of the 1st August, 1871.

In consequence of Captain C. W. Wilson having been seconded from the 25th September, 1871, the promotion of the undermentioned Officers is antedated as follows, viz. :—

Captain Edward John Ward to the 25th September, 1871.

Captain Frederick Coulthurst Elton to the 28th September, 1871.

Second Captain Henry Maxwell Robertson to the 25th September, 1871.

Second Captain Thomas Burnett to the 28th September, 1871.

BREVET.

Colonel Reginald Edward Knatchbull, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, to be Major-General, vice R. R. Kinleside, deceased. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry pay prior to 28th August, 1871.

The promotions of the undermentioned Officers which appeared in the Gazette of 27th October, 1871, to be antedated to 28th August, 1871, and to take place in succession to Major-General R. R. Kinleside, Royal Artillery, deceased :—

Major R. F. Holmes, half-pay, late 89th Foot, to Lieutenant-Colonel.

Captain and Brevet-Major A. S. Jones, V.C., 13th Foot, to Lieutenant-Colonel.

Captain G. A. Morgan, 55th Foot, to Major.

The following promotions to take place in succession to Major-General H. D. O'Halloran, deceased, in lieu of the promotions of Majors Holmes and Jones and Captain Morgan, which

appeared in the Gazette of the 27th October, 1871:—

Major Charles Steel, Unattached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Captain Robert Cathcart Dalrymple Bruce, half-pay, late 8th Foot, and Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Major. Dated 1st October, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieutenant-General Thomas Elwyn, retired full-pay, Royal Artillery, has been permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated 2nd October, 1871.

Admiralty, 6th September, 1871.

Francis Martin, Esq., has been this day promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 6th November, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Henry S. Hutchings has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 1st instant.

Admiralty, 7th November, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Assistant Paymaster Colin Campbell has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Chaplain the Reverend James Robinson has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

Robert William Dixon, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th October, 1871.

North Durham Militia.

Robert Stephenson, Esq., to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th October, 1871.

Durham Fusilier Militia.

Harry Bermingham Crohan, Esq., late Captain 38th Foot, to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 18th October, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cardigan.

Royal Cardigan Militia.

Lieutenant George Griffiths Williams to be Captain, vice Richardes, removed. Dated 6th November, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain Richard Fisher Evans, of the Glamorganshire Light Infantry Militia, being permitted to retain his rank and to continue to wear the uniform of his Regiment on retirement.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 29th August last.]

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.

1st Warwick Militia.

Charles David Myers Gall, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Matthews, resigned. Dated 22nd August, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 14, 1871.

THE names of those who were nominated for Sheriffs by the Lords of the Council at the Exchequer on the Morrow of Saint Martin, in the thirty-fifth year of the reign of Queen Victoria, and in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one:—

ENGLAND
(excepting Cornwall and Lancashire).

Bedfordshire, William Francis Higgins, of Turvey House, Esq.
Harry Thornton, of Kempston, Esq.
Sir Salusbury Gillies Payne, of Blunham, Bart.

Berkshire, Sir Nicholas William Throckmorton, of Buckland House, Bart.
John Alves Arbuthnot, of Cowarth Park, Old Windsor, Esq.
William Hew Dunn, of Inglewood, Hungerford, Esq.

Bucks, Richard Rose, of The Chestnuts, Aylesbury, Esq.
James Edward McConnell, of The Woodlands, Great Missenden, Esq.
Lawrence Robert Hall, of Foxcott Manor, Esq.

Cambridgeshire and Huntingdonshire,	William Wells, of Holme, Esq.
	The Honourable George Fitzwilliam, of Milton Park, Northamptonshire.
	Edward Reynolds, of Little Paxton, Esq.
Cheshire,	Egerton Leigh, of Jodrell Hall, Esq.
	Sir Harry Mainwaring, of Peover Hall, Bart.
	Ralph Oswald Leicester, of Toft Hall, Esq.
Cumberland,	George Moore, of Whitehall, Esq.
	Thomas Holme Parker, of Warwick Hall, Esq.
	John Lindow, of Eben Hall, Esq.
Derbyshire,	Thomas William Evans, of Allestree Hall, Esq.
	John Gilbert Crompton, of The Lilies, Brailsford, Esq.
	Charles Robert Colvile, of Lullington, Esq.
Devonshire,	John George Johnson, of Cross, Esq.
	John Henry Ley, of Trehill, Esq.
	George Soltau Symons, of Chaddlewood, Esq.
Dorsetshire,	Edward Joseph Weld, of Lulworth Castle, Esq.
	Sir Molyneux Hyde Nepean, of Loder's Court, Bart.
	John William Townsend Fyler, of Heffleton, Esq.

Durham,	Rowland Burdon, of Castle Eden, Esq.
	Charles Freville Surtees, of Mainsforth, Ferryhill, Esq.
	The Honourable Gustavus Russell Hamilton Russell, of Hardwick Hall.
Essex,	Thomas Kemble, of The Hall, Runwell, Esq.
	Robert John Bagshaw, of Dovercourt, Esq.
	Thomas White, of Wethersfield, Esq.
Gloucestershire,	Sir William Vernon Guise, of Elmore Court, near Gloucester, Bart.
	Thomas Anthony Stoughton, of Owlpen, near Dursley, Esq.
	John Charles Bengough, of The Ridge, Wotton-under-Edge, Esq.
Herefordshire,	John Habington Barneby Lutley, of Brockhampton, Esq.
	James Rankin, of Bryngwyn, Hereford, Esq.
	Colonel Broadley Harrison, of Kynastone, near Ross.
Hertfordshire,	Thomas Curtis, of The Hall, Great Berkhampstead, Esq.
	Horace James Smith-Bosanquet, of Broxbournebury, Esq.
	Sir John Gage Saunders Sebright, of Beechwood, Markyate Street, Bart.
Kent,	Sir John Frederick Croft, of Doddington, Bart.

	John Wingfield Stratford, of Addington Place, Esq.
	Charles Stewart Hardy, of Chilham Castle, Esq.
Leicestershire,	Sir Henry St. John Halford, of Wistow Hall, Bart.
	Charles Brook, of Enderby Hall, Esq.
	Isaac Harrison, of Newfound Pool, Esq.
Lincolnshire,	Sir Robert Sheffield, of Normanby Park, Bart.
	Valentine Dudley Henry Cary Elwes, of Bigby, Esq.
	Bennett Rothes Langton, of Langton, Esq.
Monmouthshire,	James Charles Hill, of The Brooks, Abergavenny, Esq.
	John Jefferies Stone, of Scyborwen, Llantrissent, near Newport, Esq.
	Crawshay Bailey, junior, of Mamdiff Court, Abergavenny, Esq.
Norfolk,	William Angerstein, of Weeting Hall, Esq.
	Henry Kett Tompson, of Witchingham, Esq.
	John Bathurst Graver Browne, of Morley, Esq.
Northamptonshire,	Henry Osmond Nethercote, of Moulton Grange, Esq.
	Henry Thomas Salmon, of Gayton House, Esq.
	Richard Christopher Naylor, of Kilmarsh Hall, Esq.
Northumberland,	Roddam John Roddam, of Roddam, Esq.

	Sir William George Armstrong, of Cragside, Knt.
	Sir Arthur Edward Monck, of Belsay, Bart.
Nottinghamshire,	George Thomas Davy, of Colston Bassett, Esq.
	William Mason, of Morton, near Retford, Esq.
	Henry Eyre, of Rampton, Esq.
Oxfordshire,	Charles Sartoris, of Wilcote House, Esq.
	William Dalziel Mackenzie, of Gillotts, Esq.
	William Wemyss Methven Dewar, of Cotmore House, Esq.
Rutland,	Charles Cave John Orme, of Oakham, Esq.
	Thomas John Stafford Hotchkin, of South Luffenham, Esq.
	William Belgrave, of Preston, Esq.
Shropshire,	John Henniker Lovett, of Fern Hill, Oswestry, Esq.
	Charles George Wingfield, of Onslow, Shrewsbury, Esq.
	Richard Thomas Lloyd, of Aston Hall, Esq.
Somersetshire,	Mordaunt Fenwick Bisset, of Bagborough, Taunton, Esq.
	George Henry Warrington Carew, of Crowcombe Court, Taunton, Esq.
	Richard King Meade King, of Walford, Taunton, Esq.

County of Southampton,	John Brown Willis Fleming, of Chilworth House, Southampton, Esq.
	The Honourable Ralph Heneage Dutton, of Timsbury Manor, Romsey.
	Sir William Henry Humphery, of Penton Lodge, near Andover, Bart.
Staffordshire,	Henry Ward, of Oaklands, Esq.
	Francis Monckton, of Stretton, Esq.
	William Mander Sparrow, of Penn, Esq.
Suffolk,	Henry Alexander Starkie Bence, of Thorington Hall, Esq.
	Sir Edward Sherlock Gooch, of Benacre Hall, Bart.
	Fuller Maitland Wilson, of Stowlangtoft Hall, Esq.
Surrey,	Albert George Sandeman, of The Hollies, Weybridge, Esq.
	Gordon Wyatt Clark, of Strawberry Hill, Chessington, Esq.
	Hadworth Barclay, of Eastwick Park, Bookham, Esq.
Sussex,	Sir James Duke, of Laughton Lodge, Bart.
	Sir Charles William Blunt, of Heathfield Park, Bart.
	George Meek, of Brantridge, Cuckfield, Esq.
Warwickshire,	Thomas Lloyd, of The Priory, Warwick, Esq.

Charles Holte Bracebridge, of The Hall, Atherstone. Esq.
The Right Honourable Sir Frederick Peel, K.C.M.G., of Hampton in Arden.

Westmoreland, Frank Atkinson Argles, of Eversley, Milnthorpe, Esq.
Thomas Mason, of Kirkby Stephen, Esq.
Sir Henry Jacques Tufton, of Appleby Castle, Bart.

Wiltshire, Sir John Neeld, of Grittleton, Chippenham, Bart.
Nathaniel Barton, of Corsley House, Warminster, Esq.
Edward Chadock Lowndes, of Castle Coombe, Chippenham, Esq.

Worcestershire, Henry Sales Scobell, of The Abbey, Pershore, Esq.
Harry Foley Vernon, of Hanbury Hall, Droitwich, Esq.
Joseph Jones, of Abberley Hall, Stourport, Esq.

Yorkshire, Frederick Bacon Frank, of Campsall Hall, Doncaster, Esq.
George Lane Fox, of Bramham Park, Tadcaster, Esq.
The Honourable Arthur Duncombe, of Kilnwick Percy.

WALES.

North and South.

Anglesey, William Williams, of Tyddyn Mawr, Esq.
George W. Duff Assheton Smith, of Trefarthin, Esq.

	The Right Honourable Lord Clarence Edward Paget, of Plas Llanfair.
Breconshire,	John Jayne, of Pantybaili, Esq.
	Oliver Morgan Bligh, of Cilmerry Park, Esq.
	William Rees, of Tyr-Mercon, Esq.
Cardiganshire,	William Buck, of Stradmore, near Llandissil, Esq.
	John Edwardes Rogers, of Abermeirig, near Lampeter, Esq.
	Lewis Pugh Pugh, of Abermaide, Aberystwith, Esq.
Carmarthenshire,	Astley Thompson, of Glyn Abbey, Esq.
	John Davie Ferguson Davie, of Derllys Court, Esq.
	David Pugh, of Manorabon, Llandilofawr, Esq.
Carnarvonshire,	Owen Evans, of Broom Hall, Esq.
	George William Duff Assheton Smith, of Vaenol, Esq.
	Thomas Turner, of Plasbrereton, Esq.
Denbighshire,	William Cornwallis West, of Ruthin Castle, Esq.
	James Hassall Foulkes, of Llay Place, Esq.
	John Carstairs Jones, of Gelligynan, Esq.
Flintshire,	Edwin William Philips, of Rhual, Esq.
	Thomas Griffies Dixon, of Nant, Esq.

	William Keates, of Pickhill Hall, Esq.
Glamorganshire,	Charles Henry Williams, of Roath Court, near Cardiff, Esq.
	Francis Edmund Stacey, of Landough, near Cowbridge, Esq.
	John Nichol Carne, of Dimlands, near Cowbridge, Esq., D.C.L.
Merionethshire,	Edward Foster Coulson, of Corsygedol, Esq.
	The Honourable Charles Henry Wynn, of Rhug.
	William Edward Oakley, of Tanybwlch, Esq.
Montgomeryshire,	Henry Bertie Watkin Williams Wynn, of Plas-nant-y-Meichiad, Esq.
	Devereux Herbert Mytton, of Garth, Esq.
	Richard Smith Humphreys, of Montgomery, Esq.
Pembrokeshire,	Richard Edward Arden, of Pontfaen, Esq.
	Henry Seymour Allen, of Cresselly House, Esq.
	James Bowen Summers, of Milton, Esq.
Radnorshire,	John Stephens, of Castle Vale, Esq.
	Robert Lewis Lloyd, of Nantgwilt, Rhayader, Esq.
	John Percy Severn, of Penybout Hall, Esq.

Whitehall, November 13, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland declaring that Clementina Elizabeth, Dowager Lady Aveland, widow and relict of Gilbert John, first Baron Aveland, of Aveland, in the county of Lincoln, the elder of the two surviving daughters of Peter Robert, Baron Willoughby de Eresby, and sister and coheir of Alberic, last Baron Willoughby de Eresby, all deceased, is and shall be Baroness Willoughby de Eresby, and shall have and enjoy the ancient Barony of Willoughby de Eresby, together with all the rights, titles, privileges, pre-eminences, immunities, precedence, and advantages thereunto belonging, or in anywise appertaining to hold to her, and the heirs of her body, in as full and ample manner as the said Alberic, Baron Willoughby de Eresby, or any of his ancestors, Barons Willoughby de Eresby, held and enjoyed the same.

Whitehall, November 14, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal appointing Field-Marshal Sir George Pollock, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., to be Constable of the Tower of London, in the room of Field-Marshal Sir John Fox Burgoyne, Bart., deceased.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal appointing Field-Marshal Sir George Pollock, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., to be Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the Tower Hamlets, in the room of Field-Marshal Sir John Fox Burgoyne, Bart., deceased.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-second year of the reign of Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Victoria, intituled "An Act to "extend the Act of the twenty-fourth year of "King George the Third, chapter twenty-six, for "issuing writs during any recess of the House of "Commons, whether by prorogation or adjourn-"ment;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define the "time for proceeding to Election during the "Recess."

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, in the manner required by the said Act, that George Jessel, Esq., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the town and port of Dover, hath accepted the office of Her Majesty's Solicitor-General, and has been gazetted thereto in the London Gazette, dated the 10th day of November, 1871, and has thereby vacated his seat; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown, to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said town and port, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this eleventh day of November, 1871.

J. E. Denison, Speaker.

(C. 1089.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 13, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Rustchuk, reporting the appearance Cholera of at Sulina, and the consequent issue of Foul Bills of Health to Vessels clearing from that port ; also that quarantine has been re-established there on arrivals from infected ports.

(C. 1097.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 13, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Rhodes, reporting that in consequence of the appearance of Cholera at Constantinople, vessels arriving from that port are subjected to ten days' quarantine, in which are reckoned, however, those spent at sea when there is a doctor on board.

War Office, Pall Mall,
14*th November*, 1871.

Rifle Brigade, Ensign Ronald Bertram Lane to be Lieutenant, without purchase, vice B. H. L. Anstruther, made Supernumerary on appointment as Adjutant 2nd Suffolk Administrative Battalion of Rifle Volunteers. Dated 4th October, 1871.

The following promotions, exchanges, and retirements to take place in conformity with the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870, and to be dated 31st October, 1871, the Officers promoted or exchanging to have no claim to back pay prior to 15th November, 1871,

and the Officers retiring to be permitted to receive pay up to the 14th November, 1871 :—

8*th Foot*, Captain Alexander Nixon Montgomery, from half-pay, late 7th Foot, to be Captain, vice Frederick A. Stebbing, who retires upon temporary half-pay.

Lieutenant John Mount Batten to be Captain, by purchase, vice A. N. Montgomery, who retires.

40*th Foot*, Lieutenant Henry Francis Turnbull, from the 88th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice J. Pass, who exchanges.

41*st Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Torkington to be Captain, by purchase, vice Samuel Black Noble, who retires.

Lieutenant Constantine Trent Pulteney Champion-Crespigny, from 69th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Charles Stanley Champion-Crespigny, who retires.

Ensign Charles Henry Sampson, from 35th Foot, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Torkington.

56*th Foot*, Captain Almeric G. Spencer, from 64th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. E. Le Mottée, who exchanges.

Lieutenant John Benet Thornton Newbury, from 82nd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice W. Capel, who exchanges.

57*th Foot*, Lieutenant Arthur Nevill Hayne, from 84th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice J. Bonhote, who exchanges.

64*th Foot*, Captain John Edward Le Mottée, from the 56th Foot, to be Captain, vice A. G. Spencer, who exchanges.

68*th Foot*, Ensign Albert Hamilton Stanley to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice James Archer Harris, who retires.

69*th Foot.* Ensign Robert Edward Owen, from Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice C. T. P. Champion-Crespigny, transferred to 41st Foot.

82*nd Foot*, Lieutenant William Capel, from 56th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice J. B. T. Newbury, who exchanges.

84*th Foot*, Lieutenant John Bonhote, from 57th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice A. N. Hayne, who exchanges.

88*th Foot*, Lieutenant John Pass, from the 40th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice H. F. Turnbull, who exchanges.

92*nd Foot*, Ensign Ralph Payne Gallwey to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Alfred Tufnell Robson, who retires.

93*rd Foot*, Captain Alexander Henry Haldane, from half-pay, late 2nd Foot, to be Captain, vice Edward Court Haynes, who retires upon temporary half-pay.

95*th Foot*, Lieutenant Edward Thomas Massy Dickin, from the 1st West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice M. R. Healy, who exchanges.

1*st West India Regiment*, Lieutenant Michael Ryan Healy, from 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice E. T. M. Dickin, who exchanges.

Half-Pay, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Hamilton Cox, from half-pay, late 75th Foot, Fort Major, Edinburgh, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase,

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Richards Greaves, from 70th Foot, to be Major, without purchase, vice Bravo, whose promotion from the 1st West India Regiment, on the 22nd July, 1871, has been cancelled.

India Office, 14th November, 1871.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Captain.

Captain Osmond Barnes, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 5th March, 1867.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant John Albert Little, 12th Regiment. Dated 25th July, 1865.

Lieutenant Henry Opie Woodhouse, 105th Regiment. Dated 22nd August, 1868.

Lieutenant David Stanley Cuninghame, 25th Regiment. Dated 1st October, 1869.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Captain.

Captain Joseph Gabbett, 95th Regiment. Dated 5th March, 1867.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Wyndham Hughes Hallett, Royal Artillery. Dated 19th December, 1860.

Lieutenant Vincent Lewis Mathias, 108th Regiment. Dated 4th September, 1867.

Lieutenant Andrew Henry Macintire, 109th Regiment. Dated 30th September, 1868.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Captain.

Captain (Brevet-Major) John Sexton, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 13th September, 1861.

To be Lieutenants.

Ensign Pelham James Maitland, 95th Regiment. Dated 8th February, 1870.

Ensign Frederick H. Forjett, 59th Regiment. Dated 30th March, 1870.

Ensign Montague James, 59th Regiment. Dated 26th April, 1870.

Admiralty, 11th November, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February 1870, the undermentioned Officer has this day been placed on the Retired List :—

Navigating Lieutenant James P. McEwen, from the 1st September last.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sussex.

Sir Peniston Milbanke. Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th November, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

George John Fenwick, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th October, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by Captains Henry Smith and William Ormerod Walker and of Lieutenant Ely R. Handcock in the 7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia. Dated 7th November, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by Lieutenant Thomas Frederic Burnaby and Cornets John Thorley and Henry Bromley in the Sherwood Rangers Yeomanry Cavalry.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Nottingham.

Sherwood Rangers Yeomanry Cavalry.

Henry Champion, Gent., to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 9th November, 1871.

Whitehall, November 13, 1871.

Her Majesty's Secretary of State for the Home Department, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice, that the following situations are added to Schedule A of the Order in Council, dated 4th June, 1870, respecting the qualifications of persons to be appointed to situations or employments in Her Majesty's Civil Service ; viz. :—

The situations of Clerk in Convict Prisons, and in the respective Offices of the Directors of Convict Prisons, of the Police Courts of the Metropolis, and of the Inspectors of Factories, Salmon Fisheries, and Burial Grounds.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 17 1871.

NOTIFICATION.—No. 5.

Foreign Office, November 17, 1871.

THE following telegram, received this morning at the Foreign Office from Henry Howard, Esq. Her Majesty's Agent at Washington for British Claims, is published for the information and guidance of British claimants:—

Washington,
November 16, 1871.

RULE 2 of the Commission has been amended by the Commissioners as follows:—

"2. Every Memorial shall state the full name of the claimant, the place and time of his birth and the place or places of his residence between the 13th day of April, 1861, and the 9th day of April, 1865, inclusive; if he be a naturalized citizen or subject of the Government by which his claim is presented, an authentic copy of the record of his naturalization shall be appended to the Memorial, and the Memorial shall also state whether he has been naturalized in any other country than that of his birth, and if not so naturalized, whether he has taken any and what steps towards being so naturalized."

Foreign Office, November 4, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Lord Tenterden, C.B., the Assistant Under Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, to

be Her Majesty's Agent to attend the Tribunal of Arbitration which is to meet at Geneva under the provisions of the Treaty between Great Britain and the United States, signed at Washington, May 8, 1871, to adjudicate on the Alabama Claims.

Foreign Office, November 15, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. John Garese as Consul at Gibraltar for the Republic of Liberia.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don José de Olmedo as Vice-Consul at Cardiff for His Majesty the King of Spain.

Whitehall, November 8, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Henry Lewis Round, of Belmont-street, Bognor, in the county of Sussex, Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, son of Joseph Green Round, late of Woodham Mortimer, in the county of Essex, Clerk, deceased, by Elizabeth Martha Round, his wife, daughter of John Lewis, late of Gillingham, in the county of Norfolk, Clerk, by Mary, his wife, who was sister of George Turner, late of Kettleburgh, in the county of Suffolk, Clerk, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of George Thomas Turner (son of the said George Turner), Clerk in Holy Orders, late Rector of the Rectory and Parish Church of Kettleburgh, in the said county of Suffolk, deceased, take and henceforth use the surname of Turner, in addition to and

after that of Round, and that he and they may bear the arms of Turner quarterly with those of Round, such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect.

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be registered in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

(C. 1108.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 16, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice of the Portuguese Government, declaring the Port of Bahia free from Yellow Fever since the 9th ultimo.

(C. 1113.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 16, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Rome, reporting that arrivals in Italian ports from Sulina are subjected to fifteen days' quarantine; also that vessels arriving from Buenos Ayres and the River Plate with clean bills of health are now subjected to only three days' quarantine of observation during which they undergo a process of disinfection.

(M. 10012.)

Board of Trade,
November 16, 1871.

THE Board of Trade have received, from Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India, the following translation of a Treaty which has been concluded at Aden with Sultan Boo Beker of the Lower Bolakees, by which he agrees to protect vessels wrecked on his coasts.

(Translation.)

The reason of writing this is as follows:—

WHEREAS, on the 14th day of October, A.D. 1855, answering to the 2nd day of Safar, A.H. 1272, a Treaty was entered into between Sultan Munassar bin Abdoolah-bin-Mehdee the bulakee, and Sultan Boo Beker bin Abdoolah-bin-Mehdee, on the one part, and Brigadier William Marcus Coghlan, Political Resident at Aden, on behalf of the British Government, on the other part, for the suppression of the traffic in slaves from Africa; and whereas it is expedient that the friendship which is now existing between these parties should be still further augmented, therefore we, whose signatures and seals are hereunto annexed, both ratify the covenant entered into as aforesaid, and further do agree to the conditions hereafter specified, that is to say:—

ARTICLE I.

That there shall be perpetual friendship and peace between us and the British Government and allies thereof.

ARTICLE II.

It is incumbent upon us to keep the roads within our territories, and the sea-shore thereof, secure and peaceful.

Article III.

If any ship belonging to the British Government, or to the subjects thereof, or to the Government of any other State, or to the subjects thereof, shall be wrecked upon our shores, it is incumbent upon us to protect the same, and to render all the assistance in our power to the crews and passengers, and to treat them well.

Article IV.

It is incumbent upon us to conduct the crews and passengers as aforesaid to Aden in safety, as well as all the property which may belong to them, and it shall be at the discretion of the British Government to recompense us for our trouble as they may deem fit.

Article V.

If any seaman belonging to a vessel anchored in the harbour of Aden, or in its vicinity, or if any soldier belonging to the garrison of Aden, shall desert and take refuge in our territories, it shall be incumbent upon us to convey him in safety to Aden, and to deliver him up to be dealt with as the authorities may deem fit.

Article VI.

This engagement is binding on me, my successors, and descendants, and on all my tribe, and is fully made and entered into on their behalf with the British Government.

Written at Aden this 30th day of May, A.D. 1871, answering to the 11th day of Rabi-ul-Awal, A.H. 1288.

(Signed) C. W. TREMENHEERE,
Resident at Aden.

Seal of Sultan,
(L.S.) ABOO BEKER-BIN ABDULLAH BIN MEHDEE, the Bulakee.

War Office, Pall Mall,
17th November, 1871.

2nd Dragoon Guards, Paymaster and Honorary Captain Nathaniel Eyre Robbins, from the Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Captain Rouse, who exchanges. Dated 18th November, 1871.

2nd Dragoons, Staff Assistant-Surgeon George Ballingall Stuart, M.B., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Thomas Rudd, M.D., promoted. Dated 18th November, 1871.

19th Hussars, Lieutenant John Biddulph to be Captain. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Grenadier Guards, The Commissions of Ensigns and Lieutenants

W. D. M. C. P. Farrer,
R. W. Chandos-Pole,
The Honourable C. R. W. Colville (Master of Colville), and
The Honourable R. C. G. Carington,

to be dated 31st October, 1871, and not as stated in the Gazette of the 27th idem.

Scots Fusilier Guards, The Commission of Ensign and Lieutenant W. A. Home-Drummond-Moray to be dated 31st October, 1871, and not as stated in the Gazette of the 27th idem.

1st Foot, The name of Ensign Coats is spelt *Coats*, and not *Coates*, as stated in the Gazette of 31st ultimo.

7th Foot, Staff Surgeon Thomas Rudd, M.D., to be Surgeon, vice John Hendley, appointed to the Staff. Dated 18th November, 1871.

8th Foot, Ensign William G. W. Macbay to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 18th November, 1871.

20*th Foot*, The appointment of Lieutenant P. A. Robinson as Instructor of Musketry to be antedated to the 28th September, 1871.

22*nd Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Edward O'Connell to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Francis Henry Welch, appointed to the Staff. Dated 18th November, 1871.

40*th Foot*, Surgeon-Major Archibald Henry Fraser, from the 88th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major George William Peake, M.D., who exchanges. Dated 18th November, 1871.

49*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Henry Lyster to be permitted to receive the value of an Ensigncy on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 18th November, 1871.

52*nd Foot*, Staff-Surgeon Thomas Norton Hoysted to be Surgeon, vice Henry Alexander Gogarty, M.B., appointed to the Staff. Dated 18th November, 1871.

64*th Foot*, Lieutenant Edmund R. S. Richardson to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Jekyll, promoted. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

75*th Foot*, Lieutenant Alaric Edward Arengo Cross to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Essex, promoted. Dated 1st September, 1871.

88*th Foot*, Surgeon-Major George William Peake, M.D., from the 40th Foot, to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major Archibald Henry Fraser, who exchanges. Dated 18th November, 1871.

2*nd West India Regiment*, The Commissions of Ensigns W. G. Patchett and H. H. Keighley to be dated the 31st October, 1871, and not as stated in the Gazette of 27th idem.

Staff, The Commission as Provost-Marshal of

T. Trout to be antedated to 13th December, 1861, such antedate not to carry back pay.

Royal Victoria Hospital, Netley, Paymaster and Honorary Captain Robert Savery Rouse, from 2nd Dragoon Guards, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Captain N. E. Robbins, who exchanges. Dated 18th November, 1871.

CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

Deputy Controller James Scott Robertson, C.B., to be Controller, vice Sir W. H. Drake, K.C.B., appointed Director of Supplies and Transport. Dated 5th September, 1871.

Assistant-Controller Conrad Frederick Potgieter to be Deputy-Controller, vice J. S. Robertson, C.B. Dated 5th September, 1871.

Commissary Charles Swain to be Assistant-Controller, vice Potgieter. Dated 5th September, 1871.

Commissary John Isaac Lilley to be Assistant-Controller, vice Winter, retired. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Assistant-Controller Henry Moore to be Deputy-Controller, vice Gun, retired. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Commissary James William Murray to be Assistant-Controller, vice Moore. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Deputy Commissary Wellesley Gordon Walker Robinson to be Commissary, vice Swain. Dated 5th September, 1871.

Deputy Commissary W. F. Wright to be Commissary, vice Lilley. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Assistant-Commissary W. H. Chambers to be Deputy Commissary, vice Wright. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Deputy Commissary Henry John Wild to be Commissary, vice Murray. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Serjeant-Major George Robert Hunter, from Royal Artillery, to be Assistant-Commissary. Dated 16th October, 1871.

The appointment of Assistant - Commissary-General William Clare Ball as Commissary, dated 12th February, 1870, has been cancelled.

Pay Sub - Department, Assistant - Commissary-General William Clare Ball to be Paymaster. Dated 12th February, 1870.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals Francis William Innes, M.D., C.B., to be Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 18th November, 1871.

Surgeon-Major John Hendley, from 7th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, vice Thomas Rudd, M.D., appointed to the 7th Foot. Dated 18th November, 1871.

Surgeon Henry Alexander Gogarty, M.B., from 52nd Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Thomas Norton Hoysted, appointed to 52nd Foot. Dated 18th November, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Thomas Rudd, M.D., from 2nd Dragoons, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major Brinsley Nicholson, M.D., who retires upon half-pay. Dated 18th November, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Henry Cole Peppin, from half-pay, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice George Ballingall Stuart, M.B., appointed to 2nd Dragoons. Dated 18th November, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Francis Henry Welch, from 22nd Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice

Edward O'Connell, appointed to 22nd Foot. Dated 18th November, 1871.

BREVET.

Second Captains O. B. C. St. John, and B. Lovett, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, and Captain C. B. Smith, Madras General List, who have been selected to proceed to Persia, in connection with certain important negotiations under the control of General Goldsmid, for the preservation of peace between that country and Affghanistan, to have the local rank of Major whilst employed on special duty in Persia and the adjacent countries. Dated 18th November, 1871.

Staff Surgeon-Major Brinsley Nicholson, M.D., who retires upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 18th November, 1871.

Thomas Benjamin Briscoe, Gent., of the Bengal Subordinate Medical Establishment, who holds the local rank of Honorary Assistant-Surgeon, to have the honorary rank of Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 18th November, 1871.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the deaths of Lieutenant-General George Farquharson, Bengal Infantry, on the 16th September, 1871, and Lieutenant-General James Sommers Down, Bombay Infantry, on the 25th September, 1871:—

To be Lieutenant-Generals.

Major-General David Simpson, Bengal Infantry. Dated 17th September, 1871.

Major-General Edward Altham Cumberlege, Bengal Infantry. Dated 26th September, 1871.

To be Major Generals.

Colonel Frederick Maitland, Bengal Infantry. Dated 17th September, 1871.

Colonel Henry Nott, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 26th September, 1871.

The undermentioned Officers, who have retired upon full-pay, to have a step of honorary rank, as follows :—

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel John James Jenkins, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 18th November, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Tucker Campbell, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 18th November, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lewis Grant, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 18th November, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Frederick Gilbertson, Madras Infantry. Dated 18th November, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Charleton Merrick, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 18th November, 1871.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Frederick William Knight, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 18th November, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers have been permitted to commute their retired allowances :—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Frederic Percy Lea, half-pay, Unattached. Dated 19th October, 1871.

Captain and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Doyle Patterson, retired full-pay, 10th Foot. Dated 27th October, 1871.

Deputy-Purveyor Thomas Woodthorpe, half-pay. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Admiralty, 14*th November*, 1871.

The Reverend Frederick Dickin Barker has this day been appointed a Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 15*th November*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Staff Surgeon James Young, M.D., has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Queen's Commission.

Royal Bucks King's Own Militia.

Lieutenant Frederick Powell to be Adjutant, from the 8th May, 1871, vice Hewett, resigned. Dated 5th August, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Nairn.

The Right Honourable Alexander, Viscount of Kirkcaldie, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 11th November, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

James Ramsden, Esq., Lieutenant-Colonel of the 5th Administrative Battalion of Lancashire Rifle Volunteers, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 6th November, 1871.

7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

John Strelley Carslake Yule, Gent., to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 9th November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

North Durham Militia.

Robert S. de Ricci, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th October, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Captain E. B. Fawcett in the Royal Cumberland Regiment of Militia. Dated 7th November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.

Royal Cumberland Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant William J. A. Baldwin to be Captain, vice Fawcett, resigned. Dated 7th November, 1871.

Crown Office, November 17, 1871.

Days and Places appointed for holding Special Commissions of Oyer and Terminer and Gaol Delivery :—

Cheshire, Saturday, December 9, at the Castle of Chester.

Cumberland, Friday, December 15, at Carlisle.

Derbyshire, Thursday, December 14, at Derby.

Devonshire, Saturday, December 16, at the Castle of Exeter.

City of Exeter, the same day, at the Guildhall of the City of Exeter.

Durham, Friday, December 8, at Durham.

Essex, Saturday, December 2, at Chelmsford.

Glamorganshire, Wednesday, November 29, at Cardiff.

Gloucestershire, Wednesday, December 20, at Gloucester.

City of Gloucester, the same day, at the City of Gloucester.

Kent, Wednesday, December 6, at Maidstone.

Leicestershire, Tuesday, December 5, at the Castle of Leicester.

Borough of Leicester, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said Borough.

Lincolnshire, Monday, December 11, at Lincoln.

City of Lincoln, the same day, at the City of Lincoln.

Town of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Tuesday, December 12, at the Guildhall.

Salop, Wednesday, December 13, at Shrewsbury.

County of Southampton, Monday, December 11, at the Castle of Winchester.

Staffordshire, Saturday, December 2, at Stafford.

Sussex, Thursday, December 21, at Lewes.

Warwickshire, Monday, December 18, at Warwick.

Worcestershire, Saturday, December 16, at Worcester.

City of Worcester, the same day, at the City of Worcester.

Yorkshire, West Riding Division, Thursday, November 30, at Leeds.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 21, 1871.

Whitehall, November 20, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal,

granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Thomas Graham Briggs, of Briggs-Dayrell, in the Island of Barbados, Esq., Member of the Executive Council of the said Island of Barbados, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Robert Christison, of Moray-place, in the city of Edinburgh, M.D., one of Her Majesty's Physicians in Scotland, Professor of Materia Medica in the University of Edinburgh, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten.

Foreign Office, November 7, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Denis Donohoe, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at New Orleans, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Baltimore.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Albany de Grenier de Fonblanque, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Carthagena, in Colombia, to be Her Majesty's Consul at New Orleans.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint William Kirby Green, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Tunis, to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Damascus.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Charles Louis St. John, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Christiania, to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Jassy.

Foreign Office, November 15, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Charles George Gordon, of the Royal Engineers, C.B., to be Her Majesty's Vice-Consul in the Delta of the Danube.

Downing Street, November 18, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Arthur Henry Porter, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Settlement of Lagos, on the Western Coast of Africa.

(C. 1125.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 20, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from the Acting British Consul at Rustchuk, reporting that, from the 27th ultimo, clean bills of health have been issued to vessels leaving Sulina, and that vessels arriving there from Russian ports in the Black Sea have been admitted to free pratique after the customary medical visit.

(C. 1134.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 20. 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, copies of Despatches from the Governors of Tobago and Grenada, reporting the imposition of

fourteen days' quarantine on arrivals at those Islands from Trinidad, in consequence of the prevalence of Small Pox there.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Banff.

Inverness, &c., Highland Light Infantry Militia.

Captain James Andrew MacRae to be Major, vice Duff, resigned. Dated 13th November, 1871.

Hugh Brodie, late Royal Artillery, to be Captain, vice MacRae, promoted. Dated 13th November, 1871.

James Knox B. Lawrence, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th November, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

2nd Somerset Regiment of Militia.

Lieutenant Francis William Rankin to be Captain, vice Turner, deceased. Dated 14th November, 1871.

Alfred Stephen Chapman, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York *and of the City and County of the City of* York.

1st Regiment of West York Rifle Militia.

Thomas Ernest Boyd Broadbent, Gent, to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd October, 1871.

4th Regiment of West York Militia.

Philip Thomas Gardner, Esq., late Ensign 14th Foot, to be Captain, vice Alcock, resigned. Dated 3rd November, 1871.

John Vignoles Brabazon, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Vaughan, whose Commission has been cancelled. Dated 13th November, 1871.

Hussar (Princess of Wales's Own) Regiment of Yorkshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

George Arthur Thompson, Gent., to be Supernumerary Cornet. Dated 1st November, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 24, 1871.

Whitehall, November 22, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable John Laird Mair, Baron Lawrence, G.C.B., G.C.S.I.; the Right Honourable Abraham Brewster; Admiral Sir Michael Seymour, G.C.B.; Sir Frederick Arrow, Knt., Deputy Master of the Corporation of the Trinity House; Henry Cadogan Rothery, Esq., Registrar of the High Court of Admiralty of England; and Thomas Chapman, Esq., F.R.S., Chairman of the Committee for Lloyd's Register of British and Foreign Shipping, Vice-President of the Institution of Naval Architects; to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to inquire into and report upon the state and condition of Her Majesty's late ship "Megæra" when selected for her recent voyage to Australia; the circumstances under which she was dispatched from this country; the extent and cause of the leak subsequently discovered in the ship, and of any other defects in the ship's hull at

the time when she was beached at St. Paul's; also, as far as may be deemed expedient, the general official history of the ship previous to her said voyage, and her classification at successive dates.

Whitehall, November 23, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Robert Porrett Collier, Knt., to be a Member of the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council for the purposes and under the provisions of an Act passed in the last Session of Parliament, intituled "An Act to make further provision for the despatch of business by the Judicial Committee of the Privy Council."

Whitehall, November 24, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Mountague Bernard, D.C.L., to be a Member of the Judical Committee of the Privy Council, in the room of the Right Honourable Sir James William Colvile, Knt., resigned, under the provisions of the Act of the 4th year of the reign of His late Majesty King William the Fourth.

Crown Office, November 23, 1871.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Plymouth.

Edward Bates, of Bellefield, in the parish of West Derby, in the county of Lancaster, Esq., in the room of Sir Robert Porrett Collier, Knt., who has accepted the office of one of the Justices of the Court of Common Pleas.

(C. 1140.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 23, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul-General at Tunis, stating that the quarantine on arrivals at that Port from Constantinople, has been reduced to fifteen days.

(C. 1141.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 23, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Copenhagen, reporting that the Danish Government have, by a Notice of the 11th instant, declared the ports and harbours of Finland to be free from Cholera, and that in consequence all vessels arriving in Denmark from those parts will now be admitted to free pratique.

(C. 1142.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
November 23, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Note from the Roumanian Government to Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-Géneral at Bucharest, stating that ships arriving with foul bills of health from Sulina or Constantinople, at the ports of Galatz, Braila, Beket, Severin, Calafat, Giurgevo, Calaraschi, and Ismail, will be held

in quarantine five days, at the end of which they will be subjected to medical inspection.

(C. 1147.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 24, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice of the Portuguese Government, removing the Port of Rotterdam from the category of "infected" to that of "suspected" of Cholera Morbus since the 3rd instant, and declaring all the other ports of Holland free from the same disease since that date.

Admiralty, 21*st November*, 1871.

The date of retirement of Commander William L. Staniforth is the 10th October, 1871, and not 3rd October, as given in the London Gazette of the 13th ultimo.

Admiralty, 22*nd November*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Maddock R. M. Griffiths has this day been placed on the Retired List, and been allowed to assume the rank of Retired Commander.

Lieutenant John Campbell Wilkinson has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed

on the Retired List of his rank from the 16th instant:—

Chief Engineer Joseph Deal.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, *and of the City and County of the City of* Canterbury.

West Kent Militia.

Augustus Frederick Ross, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 8th November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

George Maurice Hoblyn Colman, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st October, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Lanark.

2nd Royal Lanarkshire Militia.

Gilbert Alexander Pagan, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th November, 1871.

Commission signed by Her Majesty's Lieutenants for the City of London.

Royal London Militia.

Henry Edward Rose to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.

1st Warwick Militia.

William John Shaw, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Powell, resigned. Dated 17th November 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Lieutenant-Colonel Smollett Montgomerie Eddington, of the Argyll and Bute Regiment of Artillery Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Colonel.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of NOVEMBER 28, 1871.

Whitehall, November 27, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to grant unto the Reverend Alfred Barry, D.D., D.C.L., the place and dignity of Canon in the Cathedral Church of Worcester, void by the death of Doctor Philip Wynter.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Thomas Little to the church and parish of Lanark, in the presbytery and shire of Lanark, void by the death of the Reverend Alexander McGlashan.

Crown Office, November 27, 1871.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Town and Port of Dover.

George Jessel, of Lincoln's-inn, in the county of Middlesex, Esq., Her Majesty's Solicitor-General.

War Office, Pall-Mall.
28th November, 1871.

Royal Artillery, Assistant-Surgeon John Langdon, from the 105th Foot, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Edward Joseph Crane, promoted. Dated 29th November, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon Edward Chandler to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Frederick Ffolliott, placed on half-pay. Dated 29th November, 1871.

14th Foot, Captain Dawson Stockley Warren to be Major, vice C. P. Long, deceased. Dated 3rd November, 1871.

Lieutenant Joseph Laing to be Captain, vice Warren. Dated 3rd November, 1871.

37th Foot, Staff Assistant-Surgeon John Alexander McCracken, M.D., to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice William Samuel Chapman, promoted. Dated 29th November, 1871.

40th Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Wilkinson to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant J. T. Whelan, who resigns that appointment. Dated 29th November, 1871.

92nd Foot, Captain Loftus C. Singleton, to be made Supernumerary, on appointment, as Adjutant of the Galloway Administrative Battalion

of Rifle Volunteers. Dated 7th November, 1871.

105*th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon John Fitzmaurice to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice John Langdon, appointed to Royal Artillery. Dated 29th November, 1871.

107*th Foot*, Lieutenant Francis William Robertson to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Playfair, promoted. Dated 1st January, 1871.

Medical Department, Staff Surgeon-Major Vere Webb to be Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals, vice George Cuninghame Meikleham, M.D., who retires upon half-pay. Dated 29th November, 1871.

Staff Surgeon-Major David Reid Mackinnon to be Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals, vice John Summers, M.D., who retires upon half-pay. Dated 29th November, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Edward Joseph Crane, from Royal Artillery, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major Vere Webb, promoted. Dated 29th November, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon William Samuel Chapman, from 37th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major David Reid Mackinnon, promoted. Dated 29th November, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon George Herbert Clifton, M.D., from half-pay, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice John Fitzmaurice, appointed to 105th Foot. Dated 29th November, 1871.

BREVET.

The Commissions as Lieutenant-Colonel of the undermentioned Officers to bear the dates specified against their names :—

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel G. D. D. Cleveland, 98th Foot. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel C. D. Rich, half-pay, late 9th Lancers. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel R. F. Holmes, half-pay, late 89th Foot. Dated 13th September, 1871.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel A. S. Jones, V.C., 13th Foot. Dated 13th September, 1871.

The Commissions as Major of the undermentioned Officers to bear the dates specified against their names :—

Captain and Brevet-Major A. R. Clarke, C.B., Royal Engineers. Dated 28th August, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major G. A. Morgan, 55th Foot. Dated 13th September, 1871.

The undermentioned Officers, who retire upon half-pay, to have the honorary rank of Inspector-General of Hospitals :—

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals John Summers, M.D. Dated 29th November, 1871.

Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals George Cuninghame Meikleham, M.D. Dated 29th November, 1871.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in conformity with the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870 :—

19*th Foot*, Major Henry De Renzy Pigott to be Lieutenant-Colonel, without purchase, vice Brevet Colonel R. O. Bright, C.B., made Supernumerary on being appointed to the command of a Brigade in India. Dated 25th August, 1871.

Captain John Anderson to be Major, without purchase, vice Pigott. Dated 25th August, 1871.

Lieutenant William Bennett to be Captain, without purchase, vice Anderson. Dated 25th August, 1871.

The following promotions, exchanges, and retirements to take place in conformity with the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870, and to be dated 31st October, 1871; the officers promoted or exchanging to have no claim to back pay prior to 29th November, 1871, but the officers retiring to be permitted to receive pay up to the 28th November, 1871:—

Royal Horse Guards, Lieutenant Gilbert Stirling to be Captain, by purchase, vice Benjamin Lee Guinness, who retires.

Cornet the Honourable William Thomas Wentworth FitzWilliam, from the 10th Hussars, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Stirling.

1*st Dragoons*, Captain James Edwin Gwyther, from the 5th Lancers, to be Captain, vice J. S. Benyon, who exchanges.

5*th Lancers*, Captain Joseph Spencer Benyon, from the 1st Dragoons, to be Captain, vice J. E. Gwyther, who exchanges.

6*th Foot*, Ensign Neville Frederick Mansergh to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice Francis Lionel Hewson, who retires.

7*th Foot*, Quartermaster Charles M'Lagan, from the 19th Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice Murphy, who exchanges.

16*th Foot*, Major Robert Broome Baker, from the 39th Foot, to be Major, vice J. O. Chichester, who exchanges.

19*th Foot*, Quartermaster Thomas Murphy, from the 7th Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice M'Lagan, who exchanges.

39th Foot, Major John Octavius Chichester, from the 16th Foot, to be Major, vice R. B. Baker, who exchanges.

48th Foot, Captain Frederick Sedley, from the 79th Foot, to be Captain, vice H. H. Oldham, who exchanges.

63rd Foot. Captain Arnold David Saportas, from the 95th Foot, to be Captain, vice T. M. Dolan, who exchanges.

79th Foot, Captain Henry Hugh Oldham, from the 48th Foot, to be Captain, vice F. Sedley, who exchanges.

82nd Foot, Lieutenant Henry Armstrong Nicholson to be Captain, by purchase, vice William Carden Seton, who retires.

Ensign Benjamin Thomas Bradley Flood to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Nicholson.

83rd Foot, Captain Charles James Thorburn, from the 91st Foot, to be Captain, vice G. N. Stevenson, who exchanges.

91st Foot, Captain George Newcombe Stevenson, from the 83rd Foot, to be Captain, vice C. J. Thorburn, who exchanges.

95th Foot, Captain Terence Michael Dolan, from the 63rd Foot, to be Captain, vice A. D. Saportas, who exchanges.

Admiralty, 24*th November*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1871:—

Lieutenant Henry Golden, R.N., has been placed on the Retired List from the 23rd instant, and he has been allowed to assume the rank of Retired Commander from that date.

Admiralty, 25th November, 1871.

William Blomfield Harvey, Esq., has been promoted this day to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February 1870—

Commander William A. de V. Brownlow has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from this date.

Chaplain and Naval Instructor the Reverend William M. Wray has this day been placed on the Retired List.

Admiralty, 27th November, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Mr. William D. Pearce, Assistant Paymaster, has this day been placed on the Retired List.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Sir John Sinclair, Bart., being Vice Lieutenant of the County of Caithness Dated 18th November. 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Carnarvon.

Richard Kneeshaw, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 25th November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

3rd Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia.

Mottram Fellowes Andrews, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 13th November, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Salop.

Shropshire Regiment of Militia.

Robert Taylor Masefield, Esq., late Captain 44th Foot, to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 13th October, 1871.

John George Downing, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 13th October, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Somerset.

West Somerset Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Henry Hales Pleydell Bouverie, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Wood, promoted. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Warwick.

Warwickshire Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant John Thomas Arkwright to be Supernumerary Captain. Dated 21st November, 1871.

Treasury, November 25, 1871.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice, that the situation of Shorthand Writing Clerk, in the Office of the 1871.

Parliamentary Counsel, is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870.

EXCHEQUER BILLS.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice to the holders of Exchequer Bills issued under the authority of the Act 29 Vic., c. 25, and dated the 11th June, 1871, that the Interest thereon for the half-year ending on the 11th December, 1871, will be payable at the Bank of England, on and after the 11th December next; and that the Interest of such Exchequer Bills for the following half-year, to June, 1872, will be at the rate of two pounds ten shillings per centum per annum.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall,
28th November, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 1, 1871.

Foreign Office, November 14, 1871.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Hugh Mallet, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Carthagena, in Colombia.

Foreign Office, November 28, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Leon Checa as Consul at Hong-Kong; of Don Albino Mercarini as Consul at Singapore; and of Don Antonio Maria de Zea as Vice-Consul at Halifax, for His Majesty The King of Spain.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Colin Th. Rosenbusch as Consul at Sierra Leone, with jurisdiction over Senegambia, for His Majesty The King of Italy.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Carl Stöss as Vice-Consul at Liverpool for the German Empire.

Crown Office, November 30, 1871.

Her Majesty has been pleased by a Writ under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to call William Robert Grove, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law, to the state and degree of a Serjeant-at-Law.

Her Majesty has also been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to constitute and appoint William Robert Grove, Serjeant-at-Law, one of the Justices of Her Majesty's Court of Common Pleas.

(C. 1158.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, November 30, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a notice of the Portuguese Government declaring the Port of Revel infected with cholera morbus since the 21st October last.

War Office, Pall-Mall.

1st December, 1871.

9th Regiment of Lancers, Staff Surgeon Robert Lewer to be Surgeon, vice Surgeon-Major John James Clifford, M.D., who retires upon half-pay. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

19th Hussars, Cornet James McKillop Macwhirter to be Lieutenant, vice Nethercote, promoted half-pay Captain. Dated 28th June, 1871.

Lieutenant Percy Harry Stanley Barrow to be Adjutant, vice Nethercote. Dated 28th June, 1871.

Royal Artillery, Second Captain Edward McLaughlin to be Captain, vice E. C. Bolton, permitted to retire from the Service on an annuity. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry Francis Peterkin Lewis to be Second Captain, vice C. H Hamilton, deceased. Dated 11th November, 1871.

Second Captain William Norton Perssé, from temporary half-pay, to be Second Captain, vice McLaughlin. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

Lieutenant James Mainwaring Douglas to be Second Captain, vice Second Captain and Adjutant R. N. Young, permitted to retire from the Service on an annuity. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

Lieutenant Francis Lawrence Gore Little to be Second Captain, vice G. Deedes, permitted to retire from the Service on an annuity. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

Lieutenant C. D. E. Parks-Smith has been permitted to retire from the Service on an annuity. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

In consequence of the death of Second Captain C. H. Hamilton on the 6th October, 1871, the promotions of the undermentioned Officers are antedated as follows ; viz. :—

Second Captain R. H. Robertson to the 7th October, 1871.

Second Captain C. F. Dixon to the 17th October, 1871.

Second Captain C. Crosthwaite to the 21st October, 1871.

Acting Veterinary-Surgeon Thomas Jonathan Symonds, to be Veterinary-Surgeon, dated 22nd March, 1871, vice Daniel Maclean, who resigns. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

Grenadier Guards, The Honourable Frederick William Stopford, late Page of Honour to Her Majesty, to be Ensign and Lieutenant. Dated 31st October, 1871, and to stand next below Ensign and Lieutenant J. Foster.

6*th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Richard Exham, to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice John Joseph Crean, appointed to the Staff. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

8*th Foot*, Lieutenant Manley Charles Matthew Dixon to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Batten, promoted. Dated 15th November, 1871.

16*th Foot*, The restoration to full-pay of Captain A. Gardner, from half-pay, late 22nd Foot, in succession to Captain Bernard Heyer Westby, who retired on temporary half-pay, to bear date 19*th September*, 1871, instead of 30*th August*, 1871.

18*th Foot*, Captain Charles Edmund Phipps to be Supernumerary, on appointment as Captain Instructor at the School of Musketry at Hythe. Dated 2nd November, 1871.

35*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Poste to be Supernumerary, on appointment as Lieutenant Instructor at the School of Musketry at Hythe. Dated 2nd November, 1871.

48*th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Arthur Wellesley Roche to be Assistant-Surgeon. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

49*th Foot*, Lieutenant Vincent George Lawrence Eyre to be permitted to receive the value of an Ensigncy on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

50*h Foot*, The Christian names of Quartermaster Grinsell are *Samuel Dicken Nichols*, and not *Samuel* only, as stated in the Gazette of 8th August, 1871.

66*th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon Henry William Joynt to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice James Aloysius Joseph O'Brien, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

87*th Foot*, Staff Assistant-Surgeon George Bedford Sanders to be Assistant-Surgeon, vice Philip Broke Smith, M.D., promoted on the Staff. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

96*th Foot*, Ensign Gilbert Gaisford to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

104*th Foot*, Lieutenant Albert Edward Williamson Goldsmid to be Adjutant, vice Vincent Charles Edward Parker, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 7th October, 1871.

1*st West India Regiment*, Lieutenant William Cole to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Christian Branford Steward, promoted. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

The first Christian name of Captain Steward is *Christian*, not *Christopher*, as stated in the Gazette of the 31st October, 1871.

Royal Hibernian Military School, Quartermaster James Lewis is permitted to retire upon half-pay. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

Pay Sub-Department, Deputy Paymaster W. Peel is placed on temporary half-pay. Dated 1st December, 1871.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Assistant-Surgeon Philip Broke Smith, M.D., from 87th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Robert Lewer, appointed to the 9th Lancers. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon James Aloysius Joseph O'Brien, M.D., from the 66th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Henry William Joynt, appointed to the 66th Foot. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon John Joseph Crean, from the 6th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Richard Exham, appointed to the 6th Foot. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon James Duhy has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

BREVET.

Captain and Brevet Colonel Edward Adams, retired upon full-pay, late half-pay Unattached, and Secretary and Adjutant of the Royal Military Asylum, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 16th October, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel John A. W. Kennedy, Royal Marine Light Infantry, having completed the qualifying service, with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Order in Council of 13th November, 1858. Dated 10th November, 1871.

Quartermaster James Lewis, retired upon half-pay, late Royal Hibernian Military School, to

have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

Surgeon-Major John James Clifford, M.D., retired upon half-pay, late 9th Lancers, to have the honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

Paymaster Richard S. Crawley, 64th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 2nd October, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers have been permitted to commute their retired allowances :—

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edmund Palmer, retired half-pay, Royal Artillery. Dated 25th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Lionel Herbert Noyes, retired from the Royal Artillery on an annuity. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Captain William Knight, half-pay, late 90th Foot. Dated 7th November, 1871.

The following promotions, exchanges, and retirements to take place in conformity with the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870, and to be dated 31st October, 1871. The Officers promoted or exchanging to have no claim to back pay prior to 2nd December, 1871, but the Officers retiring to be permitted to receive pay up to the 1st December, 1871 : —

14*th Foot*, Ensign Reginald James Morrison to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Charles O'Hara Trench, who retires.

18*th Foot*, Major Charles Frederick Gregorie, from half-pay, late Depôt Battalion, to be Major, vice Edward Abbott Noblett, who retires upon temporary half-pay.

24*th Foot*, Lieutenant William Eccles Mostyn to be Captain, by purchase, vice Albert Frank Adams, who retires.

27*th Foot*, Lieutenant Domville Mascie Taylor to be Captain, by purchase, vice William Croft Nicolson, who retires.

Ensign Charles William Hare to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Taylor.

32*nd Foot*, Ensign Alfred John Moore Sillery to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice William Henry Iremonger, who retires.

40*th Foot*, Lieutenant Ernest Wenman Perry, from 2nd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice Horatio Read, who exchanges.

56*th Foot*, Ensign Daniel Alexander Blest to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Henry B. Walmsley, who retires.

68*th Foot*, Major William Palliser, C.B., from half-pay, late 18th Hussars, to be Major, vice Sheffield Grace, who retires upon temporary half-pay.

Captain John Blood to be Major, by purchase, vice W. Palliser, C.B., who retires.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Ilderton to be Captain, by purchase, vice Blood.

Lieutenant Joseph Boulderson to be Captain, by purchase, vice Henry Brooke Rhodes, who retires.

Ensign Charles Ethelston Parke to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Ilderton.

Ensign Hamilton James Tollemache to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Boulderson.

1*st West India Regiment*, Lieutenant Robert Dalrymple Elphinstone, from half-pay late 4th West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, vice

Eric Willoughby Osborne, who retires upon temporary half-pay.

Ensign John Roper to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice R. D. Elphinstone, who retires.

Ensign Henry Taylor Clough, from the 2nd West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice John Charles Jackson, who retires.

2nd West India Regiment, Lieutenant Horatio Read, from 40th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Ernest Wenman Perry, who exchanges.

India Office, 30th November, 1871.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces made by the Governments in India :—

BREVET.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major William Ramsay, Madras Infantry. Dated 8th July, 1871.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Charles Robert Bradstreet, Madras Infantry. Dated 11th June, 1871.

Lieutenant Robert Emilius Cox, Madras Infantry. Dated 16th June, 1871.

Lieutenant Reginald Temple Chapman, Madras Infantry. Dated 16th June, 1871.

Lieutenant William Charles Ellis, Madras Infantry. Dated 16th June, 1871.

Lieutenant Hugh Robert Ogilvie, Madras Infantry. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry Richard Shelley, Madras Infantry. Dated 20th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles William Burton, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 29th July, 1871.

Major Robert Caulfeild, Madras Cavalry, to be Lieutenant - Colonel, Captain John Sexton, Bombay Staff Corps, to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General Charles Wahab, Madras Infantry, deceased. Dated 20th May, 1871.

Substantive Promotions.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major George Leith Fraser. Dated 4th July, 1871.

Major William James Pratt Barlow. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Major Charles Armstrong. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

Major Jonathan Keer. Dated 26th July, 1871.

To be Majors.

Captain George Cardigan Thomson. Dated 19th July, 1871.

Captain Thomas Dennehy. Dated 20th July, 1871.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Colin Hubert Garbett. Dated 27th June, 1871.

Lieutenant John Hugh Green. Dated 1st July, 1871.

Lieutenant John Barnes Sparks. Dated 5th August, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry de Parny Rennick. Dated 5th August, 1871.

BENGAL ARMY.

Infantry.

Major Patrick Wheeler to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 18th July, 1871.

Late 13th Native Infantry.

Captain John George Campbell to be Major. Dated 18th July, 1871.

GENERAL LIST OF INFANTRY OFFICERS.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Honourable George Campbell Napier. Dated 2nd May, 1871.

Lieutenant William Hope Meiklejohn. Dated 29th June, 1871.

Lieutenant Walter Jones. Dated 18th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Alexander Jeffrey Nicholson. Dated 18th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Archibald Cuthbert Bigg Wither. Dated 18th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Henry John Lawrence. Dated 18th July, 1871.

Lieutenant William Loch. Dated 18th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Binfield Wemyss. Dated 18th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Honourable Robert William Napier. Dated 18th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Frederick Mills Mallet Harris. Dated 18th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Allan Scott Roberts. Dated 18th July, 1871.

ALTERATION OF RANK.

Captain Henry Charles Kemble, late 3rd European Cavalry, will take rank from 25th July, 1870.

MEDICAL OFFICERS.

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon Edward McKellar, M.D. Dated 9th July, 1871.

Surgeon Annesley Charles Castriot De Renzy. Dated 29th July, 1871.

To be Surgeons.

Assistant-Surgeon Charles Cameron. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon John Richardson, M.B. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Arthur Parker Holmes, M.D. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Robert Grey, M.B. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon John MacNaghten Fleming, M.D. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Charles Frederick Oldham. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Edward Ambrose Fitzgerald. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon George Henderson, M.D. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon John Reid. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Peter Cullen, M.D. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon James Richard Johnson. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon Isaac Newton. Dated 27th July, 1871.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Alexander Jenkins. Dated 14th June, 1871.

Major Charles Elliot, C.B. Dated 14th June, 1871.

Major George Nassau Johnstone. Dated 14th June, 1871.

Major Edward Nugent Norton. Dated 16th June, 1871.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Walter Fane, C.B. Dated 21st June, 1871.

Major George Anthony Harrison. Dated 8th July, 1871.

Major James Murray Grant. Dated 22nd July, 1871.

To be Major.

Captain Evelyn Meadows Norie. Dated 16th June, 1871.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major James Fairbrother. Dated 19th July, 1871.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) Thomas Nuttall. Dated 2nd August, 1871.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Alexander Wood. Dated 12th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Felix Walter Bean. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Lieutenant Walter Marshall. Dated 12th August, 1871.

Lieutenant George Richard Peart. Dated 12th August, 1871.

Medical Officers.

To be Surgeon-Major.

Surgeon Francis George Joynt. Dated 19th August, 1871.

To be Surgeon.

Assistant-Surgeon Abraham Nickson Hojel. Dated 27th July, 1871.

Admiralty, 30*th November*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List: —

Secretary William D. Jeans, C.B., from the 2nd March last.

Paymasters:

William T. Dixson, from the 13th June last.
William Flood, from this date.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berks.

Berks Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet Gerald Craven Ricardo to be Lieutenant, vice Van de Weyer, resigned. Dated 23rd November, 1871.

Thomas Fawcett Warden, Gent., to be Cornet, vice Ricardo, promoted. Dated 23rd November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

Durham Artillery Militia.

Assistant-Surgeon James Rawlings to be Surgeon. Dated 10th November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

Willet Lawrence Adye, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 25th November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Elgin.

The Honourable Thomas John Hovell Thurlow to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Radnor.

Radnorshire Militia.

Philip Hannington, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Soppit, promoted. Dated 24th November, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 5, 1871.

Whitehall, November 30, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Thomas Pavier, of Wall, in the county of Stafford, Gentleman, son of Thomas Pavier, late of Edjall, in the parish of St. Michael, Lichfield, Gentleman, by Mary, his wife, sister of Edward Jackson, late of Wall, in the aforesaid county of Stafford, Gentleman, all deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with an injunction contained in the last will and testament of the said Edward Jackson, henceforth take and use the surname of Jackson, instead of that of Pavier:

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

(C. 1163.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 4, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Decree of the Spanish Government, relating to the transit of tobacco and woven goods. It is provided that vessels measuring at least 120 metrical tons, arriving from any foreign port with cargoes of such goods, destined for the free ports of the Canaries, or for any other foreign port, may be allowed to perform quarantine at the foul lazarets of Mahon, San Simon, or Tambo, on condition that the tobacco and woven goods are specified in the manifests required by the Customs Authorities, and that the captains perform no commercial operation in any of the ports of the Peninsula and Balearic Isles. Vessels measuring less than 120 metrical tons are admitted to the same advantages, subject to proof of necessity for performing quarantine, and to the delivery of a bond for, or the deposition of the sums of, 750 pesetas on each bale of woven goods, and 14 for each kilogramme of tobacco, repayable on the production of a certificate from a Spanish Consul of the delivery of the goods at their destination. Tobacco and woven goods carried in other vessels not included in the exceptions of Art. 127 of the Customs Ordinances or of Art. 6 of Appendix 20 thereto, are liable to the payment of the Tariff duty or to fixed penalties, unless the arrival be caused by "force majeure."

(C. 1164.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 4, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received,

from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of Decrees of the Italian Government, subjecting to foul quarantine vessels arriving from Archangel and the coast of the Gulf of the Dwina, which have sailed subsequently to the 10th August; and relieving from quarantine ships which have left Hamburg and Altona since the 15th October last.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cumberland.

The Honourable Josslyn Francis Pennington, Baron Muncaster, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

The Honourable Charles Wentworth George Howard, M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

Charles Robert Fletcher Lutwidge, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

Charles Fetherstonhaugh, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

Timothy Fetherstonhaugh, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

Joseph Ferguson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

John Edward Hasell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

John Lindow, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

Thomas Hartley, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

Colonel Arundel Barker to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Lacy William Sanderson to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

Thomas Brougham, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

Thomas Holme Parker, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

George Henry Hewit Oliphant Ferguson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

William Banks, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Banff.

William Leslie, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

1st Regiment of the Duke of Lancaster's Own Militia.

Beverley William Reid Ussher, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 25th November, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 8, 1871.

NOTIFICATION.—No. 6.

Foreign Office, December 7, 1871.

THE following Telegram received last night at the Foreign Office from Henry Howard, Esq., Her Majesty's Agent at Washington for British

Claims, is published for the information and guidance of British Claimants :—

Washington,
December 6, 1871.

"The Commissioners have amended Rule 1 as follows :—

"1. In addition to the representation of his claim and the proofs in support thereof which shall have been presented to his Government, the claimant shall file in the office of the Commission a statement of his claim in the form of a Memorial addressed to the Commission. The Memorials in future will be printed at the expense of the Commission.

"This amended Rule entirely supersedes the old one."

Windsor Castle, December 4, 1871.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty :—

His Excellency the Count Apponyi, Ambassador Extraordinary from His Majesty the Emperor of Austria, to deliver his Letter of Recall.

Downing Street, December 8, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Sir Benjamin Chilley Campbell Pine, K.C.M.G., now Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Islands of Antigua, Montserrat, St. Christopher, Nevis, the Virgin Islands, and Dominica, and their Dependencies, to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Leeward Islands after the coming into operation in the said Islands of the "Leeward Islands Act, 1871."

Foreign Office, October 25, 1871.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Edgar Leopold Layard, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Provinces of Grand Parà, Amazonas, and Maranham, to reside at Parà.

Foreign Office, December 5, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Cavalière Carlo Cattaneo as Consul-General for Ireland, to reside at Dublin, for His Majesty the King of Italy.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Richard Dunn Rusden as Vice-Consul at Manchester for the United States of Colombia.

Whitehall, December 7, 1871.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend William Wigan Harvey, B.D., to the Rectory of Newelme, alias Ewelme, in the county and diocese of Oxford, void by the cession of Doctor Robert Payne Smith.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the Reverend Thomas Niven to the church and parish of Linlithgow, in the presbytery and county of Linlithgow, vacant by the translation of the Reverend Archibald Scott, late Minister thereof, to the church and parish of Greenside.

War Office, November 1, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to issue a new Commission of Lieutenancy for the City of London, constituting and appointing the several persons undermentioned to be Her Majesty's Lieutenants within the said City, viz.:—The Right Honourable Thomas Dakin, Lord Mayor of the

city of London, and the Lord Mayor of the said city for the time being ; Sir James Duke, Baronet, Sir John Musgrove, Baronet, Thomas Challis, Esquire, Thomas Sidney, Esquire, Sir David Salomons, Baronet, Thomas Quested Finnis, Esquire, Sir Robert Walter Carden, Knight, John Carter, Esquire, Sir William Anderson Rose, Knight, William Lawrence, Esquire, Warren Stormes Hale, Esquire, Sir Benjamin Samuel Phillips, Knight, Sir Thomas Gabriel, Baronet, William Ferneley Allen, Esquire, Sir James Clarke Lawrence, Baronet, and Robert Besley, Esquire, Aldermen of the said city of London, and the Aldermen of the said city of London for the time being ; the Right Honourable Russell Gurney, Recorder of the city of London, and the Recorder of the said city for the time being ; Sills John Gibbons, Esquire, Sir Sydney Hedley Waterlow, Knight, Andrew Lusk, Esquire, David Henry Stone, Esquire, William James Richmond Cotton, Esquire, Thomas Scambler Owden, Esquire, Charles Whetham, Esquire, and Thomas White, Esquire, Aldermen of the city of London ; Benjamin Scott, Esquire, Chamberlain of the city of London, and the Chamberlain of the said city for the time being ; Frederick Woodthorpe, Esquire, Town Clerk of the city of London, and the Town Clerk of the said city for the time being ; Thomas Chambers, Esquire, Common Serjeant of the city of London, and the Common Serjeant of the said city for the time being ; William Hawtrey, Esquire, Frederick Farrar, Esquire, Thomas Henry Fry, Esquire, William Jones, Esquire, Henry de Jersey, Esquire, Blomfield Burnell, Esquire, John Hawkins Elliott, Esquire, Thomas White, Esquire, Charles Reed, Esquire, John Malcolm, Esquire, William Tegg, Esquire, Samuel Elliott Atkins, Esquire, John

Banister, Esquire, James Butcher, Esquire, Thomas Webber, Esquire, Robert Stapleton, Esquire, John Christopher Christie, Esquire, William Webster, Esquire, John Parker, Esquire, Archibald McDougall, Esquire, George Walter, Esquire, Henry Lowman Taylor, Esquire, Thomas Symonds, Esquire, John Kelday, Esquire, William Cave Fowler, Esquire, Samuel Heath, Esquire, John Pickering, Esquire, Ben Slowman, Esquire, Mark Shephard, Esquire, and Robert Taylor, Esquire, Deputies of the city of London, and the Deputies of the said city for the time being; Samuel Wilson, Esquire, James Abbiss, Esquire, and John Joseph Mechi, Esquire, formerly Aldermen of the city of London; James Southby Bridge, Esquire, Thomas Watkins, Esquire, William Tyler, Esquire, Henry Kebbel, Esquire, William Christie, Esquire, Robert Butler Whiteside, Esquire, Thomas Turnbull, Esquire, Charles Gammon, Esquire, Thomas Snelling, Esquire, George Bone, Esquire, Robert Obbard, Esquire, Thomas Bridge Simpson, Esquire, Robert James Chaplin, Esquire, Septimus Read, Esquire, Benjamin Bower, Esquire, and Anthony Locke, Esquire, formerly Deputies of the city of London; Henry Hulse Berens, Esquire, Arthur Edward Campbell, Esquire, Robert Wigram Crawford, Esquire, James Pattison Currie, Esquire, Benjamin Buck Greene, Esquire, Henry Riversdale Grenfell, Esquire, Henry Hucks Gibbs, Esquire, John Saunders Gilliat, Esquire, Charles Hermann Göschen, Esquire, James Alexander Guthrie, Esquire, Thomson Hankey, Esquire, John Benjamin Heath, Esquire, Kirkman Daniel Hodgson, Esquire, Henry Lancelot Holland, Esquire, John Gellibrand Hubbard, Esquire, Thomas Newman Hunt, Esquire, Alfred Latham, Esquire, Thomas Masterman, Esquire, James

Morris, Esquire, George Warde Norman, Esquire, Edward Howley Palmer, Esquire, Alfred Charles De Rothschild, Esquire, Christopher Weguelin, Esquire, Clifford Wigram, Esquire, and Thomas Baring, Esquire; the Right Honourable Stephen Cave; Henry Wollaston Blake, Esquire, and Mark Wilks Collet, Esquire; the Right Honourable George Joachim Göschen; Charles Frederick Huth, Esquire, George Lyall, Esquire, Alexander Matheson, Esquire, Albert George Sandeman, Esquire, Thomas Charles Smith, Esquire, Thomas Matthias Weguelin, Esquire, Travers Buxton, Esquire, John William Birch, Esquire, William Lidderdale, Esquire, and David Powell, junior, Esquire; Ross Donnelly Mangles, Esquire, Sir Frederick Currie, Baronet, Sir Charles Mills, Baronet, Russell Ellice, Esquire, Martin Tucker Smith, Esquire; Sir James Weir Hogg, Baronet; Colonel William Henry Sykes, Elliot Macnaghten, Esquire, William Joseph Eastwick, Esquire, John Harvey Astell, Esquire, Henry Thoby Prinsep, Esquire, Lieutenant-Colonel Sir Henry Creswicke Rawlinson, K.C.B., General Sir Robert John Hussey Vivian, G.C.B., the Right Honourable Sir Laurence Peel, Knight; William Henry Chicheley Plowden, Esquire, William Dent, Esquire, Sir Dudley Coutts Marjoribanks, Baronet, Charles John Manning, Esquire, Charles John Baker, Esquire, James Whatman Bosanquet, Esquire, Henry Lannoy Hunter, Esquire, John Iltid Nicholl, Esquire, Thomas Henry Allen Poynder, Esquire, Henry Vigne, Esquire, William Pole, Esquire, Henry Jeffreys Bushby, Esquire, and John Neville Warren, Esquire; Baron Lionel de Rothschild, Baron Nathan de Rothschild, and Sir Moses Montefiore, Baronet; George Carr, Baron Wolverton; Jonathan Muckleston Key, Esquire; Sir William Henry Poland, Knight, Thomas

Alers Hankey, Esquire, Edward Tyrrell, Esquire, William Croft, Esquire, John Alexander Hankey, Esquire, Daniel Britten, Esquire, William Hughes Hughes, Esquire, William Hughes Hughes, junior, Esquire, Ambrose Moore, Esquire, Joseph Oldham, junior, Esquire, Alfred Wilson, Esquire, Cornelius Lea Wilson, Esquire, Peter Northall-Laurie, Esquire, William Peters, Esquire, John Masterman, Esquire, Frederick Mildred, Esquire, James Bentley, Esquire, William Gladstone, Esquire, John Pemberton Heywood, Esquire, John Pierce Kennard, Esquire, Joseph Maynard, Esquire, William Roper Maynard, Esquire, John Walter, Esquire, Charles Fenton Whiting, Esquire, Charles Hill, Esquire, Heathfield Smith, Esquire, Charles Alliston, Esquire, George Alliston, Esquire, Philip Champion Toker, Esquire, William Dallison Starling, Esquire, John Kinnersley Hooper, Esquire, William Fowler Mountford Copeland, Esquire, Joseph Anderson, junior, Esquire, Samuel Christie-Miller, Esquire, Bonamy Dobree, Esquire, William Jones Loyd, Esquire, Donald Nicoll, Esquire, John Henry Smith, Esquire, Thomas Matthewman Challis, Esquire, William Henry Challis, Esquire, Alfred Wilberforce Challis, Esquire, John Ridley Hunter, Esquire, Robert Bousfield, Esquire, Edward Jones Williams, Esquire, Edward Hunter, Esquire, Edward Masterman, Esquire, George Moore, Esquire, John Francis Moon, Esquire, Richard Nathaniel Philipps, Esquire, George Wodehouse Currie, Esquire, Lewis Loyd, Esquire, Charles Magniac, Esquire, James Nugent Daniel, Esquire, William Schaw Lindsay, Esquire, George Moffatt, Esquire, Thomas Parker, Esquire, Samuel Fisher, Esquire, Thomas Kerr Lynch, Esquire, Charles Skipper, Esquire, the Honourable George Grenfell Glyn, Alexander Angus Croll, Esquire, Stephen William

Silver, Esquire, John William Carter, Esquire, Alfred James Waterlow, Esquire, Henry Wellington Vallance, Esquire, Sir William Tite, Knight, C.B.; Sir Anthony de Rothschild, Baronet, Travers Barton Wire, Esquire, Josiah Hale, Esquire, Joseph Sebag, Esquire, Henry Hill, Esquire, James Duke Hill, Esquire, Henry Doulton, Esquire, Robert Nicholas Fowler, Esquire, Patrick Douglas Hadow, Esquire, Howard John Kennard, Esquire, John Coleridge Kennard, Esquire, Hilary Nicholas Nissen, Esquire, Nathan Mayer de Rothschild, Esquire, and James Anderson Rose, Esquire; General the Right Honourable Hugh Henry, Baron Strathnairn, G.C.B.; Lieutenant-Colonel John Rose Holden Rose; Joseph D'Aguilar Samuda, Esquire, Charles John Todd, Esquire, Thomas White, Esquire, William Foster White, Esquire, Major-General Sir Andrew Scott Waugh, Knight; John Gurney Hoare, Esquire, Joseph Hoare, Esquire, Charles Kaye Freshfield, Esquire, Henry Ray Freshfield, Esquire, Hugh Mackaye Matheson, Esquire, Francis Augustus Bevan, Esquire, Henry Huth, Esquire, John Knowles, Esquire, Philip William Flower, Esquire, Henry Alers Hankey, Esquire, Thomas Webster, Esquire, Marmaduke Blake Sampson, Esquire, Frederick Collier, Esquire, John Robert Thomson, Esquire, William Herbert Mullens, Esquire, William Vivian, Esquire, William Corrie, Esquire, Robert Malcolm Kerr, Esquire, Thomas James Nelson, Esquire, John Coysgarne Sim, Esquire, Thomas Gabriel, Esquire, Henry John Tritton, Esquire, John Peter Gassiot, Esquire, Percy Shawe Smith, Esquire, Alfred James Copeland, Esquire, James Sprent Virtue, Esquire, George Frederick White, Esquire, Samuel Morley, Esquire, William Kendrick Gladstone, Esquire, John Thompson Fletcher, Esquire, Mark Cattley,

Esquire, Richard Whiteman Fall, Esquire, John Alldin Moore, Esquire, Philip Twells, Esquire, Charles Booth, Esquire, James Pearce Allen, Esquire, Arthur Burnand, Esquire, Jeremiah Colman, Esquire, William Sedgwick Saunders, Esquire, William Holm Twentyman, Esquire; Sir Francis Lycett, Knight, Ferdinand Brand, Esquire, William Collinson, Esquire, George Croshaw, Esquire, Sir John Lubbock, Baronet, Alfred Lawrence, Esquire, Charles William Cookworthy Hutton, Esquire, Francis Tagart, Esquire, Edwin Lawrence, Esquire, William McArthur, Esquire, Samuel Henry Phillips, Esquire, Charles Robert Besley, Esquire, Oswald Augustus Smith, Esquire, Eric Carrington Smith, Esquire, Sir Francis Hicks, Knight, John Paterson, Esquire, George Faudell Phillips, Esquire, John Fenwick Fenwick, Esquire, Reginald Northall Laurie, Esquire, John George Maclean, Esquire, Joseph Dakin, Esquire, Bartle John Laurie Frere, Esquire, James Lionel Ridpath, Esquire, James Spicer, Esquire, Montagu Cleugh Wilkinson, Esquire, Henry Horton, Esquire, Septimus Davidson, Esquire, and Joseph Travers Smith, Esquire.

(C. 1170.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, December 7, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General in Egypt, stating that all vessels arriving at Egyptian ports in the Mediterranean from infected places with foul or suspicious bills of health, will be subjected to ten days' quarantine; but if carrying pilgrims, or large

numbers of passengers, to twenty days' quarantine, to reckon from the date of the passengers entering the lazaretto. These regulations apply equally to vessels carrying and not carrying a medical man.

(C. 1173.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 7, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, stating that, in consequences of some cases of Cholera having occurred in the lazaretto at Salonica, arrivals at Athens by sea from that locality have been subjected to a quarantine of observation for five days.

(C. 1176.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 7, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Despatch from the Governor of Trinidad, enclosing a Decree of the Venezuelan Government of the 2nd October last, declaring the Blockade of the Mouths of the Orinoco, and authorizing the commanders of the blockading vessels to act in accordance with the following instructions:—

(1) Two months from date of this Decree will be allowed to all vessels from Europe; to vessels from the United States of North America, one month from such date; and all the vessels from the Antilles (excepting Curazoa, Trinidad, and Demerara) are to observe this Decree from the

date of the notification of this blockade to their respective authorities.

On entering the waters of the blockaded coasts, they will be notified by the commanders of the blockading vessels of war that the line of blockade cannot be crossed.

In cases only where parties insist on acting against these rules, they will be considered as violating the blockade.

(2.) The foregoing instructions refer to the vessels above mentioned, to which will be extended the privilege (contained in Article 21 of Law 3, Codicil of the Exchequer) to enter and discharge in any of the other ports of the Republic not occupied by the rebels, should it be considered convenient.

(3.) After the expiration of the time allowed in Section 1, all vessels entering the waters of the blockaded coasts will be considered as having been notified, and will be sent under custody to the Naval Court at the Station of Porto Cabello.

(C. 1178.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 7, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Rome, stating that vessels which have left the Port or neighbourhood of Smyrna and the Islands of the Greek Archipelago with clean bills of health subsequently to the 15th ultimo, will be admitted to free pratique in Italian ports after a favourable medical report.

Admiralty, 4th December, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank :—

Lieutenant Henry Lushington Comyn Robinson.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Sir Alexander Armstrong, M.D., K.C.B., has this day been placed on the Retired List of Inspectors-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of the Honourable Peter John Locke King, M.P., being appointed Vice-Lieutenant of the County of Surrey. Dated 29th November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

Thomas Ludham Robinson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Devon.

6th Devonshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William Henry Brewer to be Ensign, vice Chanter, promoted. Dated 2nd November, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commissions held by

Captain W. Ffooks and Lieutenant L. S. W. Dawson Damer in the Queen's Own Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry, and to approve of their being permitted to retain their rank and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on retirement. Dated 29th November, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

Queen's Own Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

Supernumerary Lieutenant John Robert Phelips Goodden to be Captain, vice Ffooks, resigned. Dated 4th December, 1871.

Supernumerary Cornet William Robert Phelips to be Lieutenant, vice Dawson Damer, resigned. Dated 4th December, 1871.

James Rowe, Esq., M.C.V.S., to be Veterinary-Surgeon. Dated 4th December, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

North Durham Militia.

Charles Jackson, Gent., to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th November, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Glamorgan.

Royal Glamorgan Artillery Militia.

Lieutenant William Evans Hughes to be Captain. Dated 30th November, 1871.

Lieutenant Lewis Thomas Lewis to be Captain. Dated 30th November, 1871.

Treasury Chambers, December 5, 1871.

The Lords of Her Majesty's Privy Council, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners

of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice, that the situation of Inspector of Foreign Cattle is withdrawn from Schedule A, and included in Schedule B, of the Order in Council dated 4th June, 1870.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 8, 1871.

AT the *Council Chamber, Whitehall*, the 9th day of *December*, 1871.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

PRESENT,

Archbishop of Canterbury.
Lord Chancellor.
Lord President.
Bishop of London.
Mr. Secretary Bruce.
Mr. Gladstone.
Mr. Forster.

IT is this day ordered by their Lordships, that his Grace the Archbishop of Canterbury do prepare a special Form of Prayer to Almighty God for the recovery of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, and also a Form of Prayer on behalf of the Queen, the Princess of Wales, and all the Royal Family; and that such Forms of Prayer be used in all churches and chapels in England and Wales, and in the town of Berwick-

upon-Tweed, upon and after Sunday, the tenth day of December instant:

And it is hereby further ordered, that Her Majesty's Printer do forthwith print a competent number of copies of the said Forms of Prayer that the same may be forthwith sent round, and read in the several churches and chapels of England and Wales, and of the town of Berwick-upon-Tweed.

Arthur Helps.

AT the *Council Chamber, Whitehall,* the 9th day of *December*, 1871.

By the Lords of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council.

PRESENT,

Archbishop of Canterbury.
Lord Chancellor.
Lord President.
Bishop of London.
Mr. Secretary Bruce.
Mr. Gladstone.
Mr. Forster.

THE Lords of the Council having deemed it right and proper that Prayers should be offered up to Almighty God for the recovery of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, and also on behalf of the Queen, the Princess of Wales, and all the Royal Family, it is ordered by their Lordships, that all ministers and preachers, as well of the Established Church, in that part of Great Britain called Scotland, as of the Episcopal Communion, protected and allowed by an Act passed in the tenth year of the reign of Queen Anne, chapter seven, be, and they are, hereby,

earnestly exhorted, upon and after Sunday, the tenth day of December instant, at some time during the exercise of Divine Service in their churches, congregations, or assemblies, to offer up Solemn Prayers to Almighty God for the recovery of His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales, and also on behalf of the Queen, the Princess of Wales, and all the Royal Family.

Arthur Helps.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 12, 1871.

Foreign Office, December 12, 1871.

IT is hereby notified, that Her Majesty's Government has received from the Governor of Trinidad, a copy of a Decree given at Caracas on 2nd October, 1871, by the President of the United States of Venezuela, declaring a blockade of the line of coast embracing the entrances of the River Orinoco, in consequence of the occupation of Cuidad Bolivar by the Rebels. The text of the Decree is as follows :—

(Translation.)

JOSÉ IGNACIO PULIDO, Chief of the Presidency of the United States of Venezuela.

In pursuance of the right vested in me by the Congress of Plenipotentiaries,

It is decreed:

1st. That the navigation of the waters of the Orinoco are hereby prohibited, and the line of coast embracing its entrance is blockaded in con-

sequence of the occupation of Cuidad Bolivar by the Rebels.

2nd. That the naval force required to carry this blockade into effect has been equipped.

3rd. That the commanders of the blockading vessels will act in accordance with the Cruizing Orders of 30th March, 1822, and the following instructions :—

1. Two months from date of this Decree will be allowed to all vessels from Europe, to vessels from the United States of North America, one month from such date, and all the vessels from the Antilles (excepting Curazao, Trinidad, and Demerara) are to observe this Decree from the date of the notification of this blockade to their respective authorities.

When on entering the waters of the blockaded coasts they will be notified by the commanders of the blockading vessels of war, that the line of blockade cannot be crossed.

In cases only where parties insist on acting against these rules, they will be considered as violating the blockade.

2. The foregoing instructions refer to the vessels above mentioned, to which will be extended the privilege (contained in Article 21 of Law 3, Codicil of the Exchequer) to enter and discharge in any other port of the Republic not occupied by the Rebels, should it be considered convenient.

3. After the expiration of the time allowed in Section 1, all vessels entering the waters of the blockaded coasts, will be considered as having been notified, and will be sent under custody to the Naval Court at the station of Porto Cabello.

4. This Decree will be communicated to all whom it may concern, and the Minister of Military and Naval Affairs is charged with the publication and execution thereof.

Given at Carácas on the 2nd October, 1871, 8th of the Law, and 13th of the Federation.

(Signed) J. J. PULIDO,
Minister, P.P.

(Signed) M. OLIVO.

(C. 1180-1181).

Board of Trade, Whitehall, December 11, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, a copy of a Despatch from the Lieutenant-Governor of St. Vincent stating that he had declared the Island of Trinidad infected with small-pox, by a notice of the 16th October last, and that in consequence a quarantine of twenty-three days dating from the day of sailing had been imposed on all vessels arriving therefrom at the Island of St. Vincent. Their Lordships have also received a copy of a Despatch from the Lieutenant-Governor of Grenada reporting that he had extended the period of quarantine on arrivals from Trinidad to twenty-three days.

Admiralty, 9th December, 1871.

The undermentioned Medical Officers on the Retired List, have this day been promoted to the honorary rank of Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet: —

Robert Grahame, Esq., M.D.
James Vaughan, Esq.
Charles Deane Steel, Esq.
Charles Thomas Simpson Kevern, Esq.
Andrew Murray, Esq.
Joseph Henderson, M.D.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant William Ivor Williams in the 7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia. Dated 4th December, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

Duke of Lancaster's Own Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry.

John Nicholas Fazakerley, Esq., to be Supernumerary Captain. Dated 14th November, 1871.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 12, 1871.

Foreign Office, December 9, 1871.

CORRESPONDENCE with Mr. Wade, Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary in China :—

Mr. Wade to Earl Granville.—(Received August 15.)

MY LORD, *Peking, June* 8, 1871.

I HAVE the honour to forward your Lordship's translations of a note or memorandum addressed by the Tsung-li Yamên, in the first instance, to all foreign representatives resident in Peking, and subsequently to those of all foreign

Treaty Powers, of eight propositions appended to the memorandum, and of a note addressed by the Minister Wên Siang to Sir R. Alcock shortly before he left Peking in 1869.

The last was doubtless submitted by Sir R. Alcock to Lord Clarendon; but as I have been unable to find a translation of it in the archives, and as the Minister, Wên Siang, has again drawn attention to it, I have had a fresh translation of it made.

The note or memorandum is, in the main, an expansion of the note to Sir R. Alcock.

Admitting that, so far as trade is concerned, the Treaties work well enough, the writer complains that their provisions fail entirely in the regulation of the missionary question; and that, through the unsatisfactory position of this, the whole question of foreign relations is affected.

The promiscuous enlistment of evil men as well as good by the Romish missionaries, and their advocacy of the claims advanced by these ill-conditioned converts, has made Romanism most unpopular; and the people at large do not distinguish between Romanist and Protestant, nor between foreigner and foreigner: not that Government has made no effort to instruct the people, but China is a large Empire.

The growing feeling against propagandism had long rendered the Government anxious before the Tien-tsin massacre; and now, although mandarins have been exiled, criminals executed, indemnities paid, Government still continues anxious, feeling that, if there are to be more such outbreaks, recurrence to such measures will be in each instance more difficult. How then about the future?

First, as to the past. The high officers, both of China and of foreign countries, have been sadly to

blame for a hand-to-mouth policy in dealing with the missionary question. Foreigners ask and China concedes what will make things smooth for the moment. Foreigners also ask what is impracticable in order to place China in an *impasse.* The Chinese Government would have the missionaries all brought under the same control, as in other countries, amenable to the laws of the land, restrained from undue assumption of status and authority, and from acts that produce scandal (see Article II). There should be no mystery in what they do (this refers to the Orphelinats), and their conduct should in all respects conform to the doctrine they teach.

At present they constitute in China an *imperium in imperio;* and it is to be apprehended that their followers, seeing how the Tien-tsin massacre has been punished, will presume more than heretofore, and that, of this will come, an uprising of the people beyond the power of Government to control. The responsibility of foreign Governments will be great if they do not join China in devising precautionary measures.

This is the sum of the note. Appended to it is a memorandum containing eight Articles, in which are set forth various griefs, each Article being supplemented by a note purporting to supply evidence in support of the charge preferred.

Article 1 recommends the entire suppression of the foreign Orphelinats; if this be impossible, the exclusion of all but Christian children, in any case registration of the children, and free admission of their friends. The present secrecy of proceedings in the asylums provokes suspicion. The common people still believe in the removal of the children's hearts and eyes. These Orphelinats besides are really not wanted, for similar asylums abound in China.

Article 2 protests against the appearance of women in the same chapels as the men, and against the employment of female missionaries.

Article 3 assails the missionaries' independence of the laws, their assumption of power and position, their oppression of the people not Christian, their abuse of Confucianism, by which they exasperate the people.

It complains equally of the assumption of independence by the Christian congregations, their refusal to render certain service as subjects of the Empire, to pay revenue to Government, to pay rents to individuals. In all such refusals they are supported by their missionaries, who interfere in suits before the Courts. Betrothals are also repudiated by Christians, and their alienation of property produces family feuds.

Article 4 complains of the demands made for indemnity over and above the punishment of offenders, while Christians offending are withheld from justice by missionaries. Missionaries so offending should be required to undergo the same punishment as the offender, otherwise to leave the country. (See the note following this Article).

Article 5 would regulate the use of their passports by the missionaries, prevent their transfer, and limit the area of the holder's movements, the penalty of disobedience being deportation.

Article 6 condemns the reception as converts of men whose characters cannot be guaranteed. Bad Christians should be expelled, and a return of all Christians should be periodically made.

In the note to this Article some instances are given of the admission of rebel leaders and other disreputable people into the Church, and of their subsequent lawless conduct, in one case quoted, apparently under missionary protection.

Article 7 denounces the abrogation by mis-

sionaries of official attributions in intercourse and correspondence. They should accept, it urges, the status of Chinese literati in both. Cases are cited in the note of their assuming the use of seals, or titles, or forms of correspondence to which they had no right.

Article 8 and last deals with the restitution of property formerly belonging to Christians (and now claimed by the Church under Article VI of the Convention of 1860). Buildings are demanded back without reference to popular sympathies or predjudices ; some that have passed through many hands since the Christians, the original proprietors, sold them ; some that their purchasers have greatly improved. The missionaries will pay nothing, but, on the other hand, when a house they claim is in ruins, they seek to exact money for the repair of it.

Had it not been for the strong resemblance between the note addressed to Sir Rutherford Alcock and the memorandum now under review, I should have been disposed to regard the latter, to a certain extent, in the light of a defensive document, put forward in deprecation of any further demands that might be made on the score of the Tien-tsin massacre. This is, to a certain extent, its aim, but not, I am satisfied, its only aim. It is intended to be an exposé of a state of things that is sorely irritating the educated class who govern China, and an appeal to foreign Governments to unite in effecting some arrangements by which the causes that provoke this irritation may be controlled.

The papers, especially the supplement, are very badly put together. They contain some statements which will be easily contradicted, and some imputations which cannot be sustained ; but, taken with the matter of many a long conversation on

the same subject, to which I have listened in the last eight years, they strengthen my conviction that, to secure the missionary against the hostility of the lettered class, one of two courses must be pursued,—either the missionary must be supported, out and out, by the sword of the protecting Powers, or he must be placed by the protecting Powers under restrictions which, whilst leaving him always as much latitude of action as, if simply intent on Christianizing China, he is justified in desiring, will yet enable the Chinese Government to declare to those whose conservatism chafes at the present pretensions of the missionary that he, the missionary, is not authorized by the Power protecting him to put forward the pretensions objected to.

That the appeal of the Yamên is feebly drawn up, I have already admitted, and I cannot say much for its candour. Its incompleteness, in my eyes, will be seen from the rejoinder I have drafted to the Grand Secretary Wên Siang, copy of which I enclose. In this I am obliged to impugn the correctness of some of his information, and especially to reject as insufficient the explanation attempted of the Tien-tsin massacre.

The passage, to my taste, the most offensive in the whole paper is that in which credit is taken for the decision of that case as satisfactory, so much too satisfactory that Christians may be emboldened by it to go greater lengths than heretofore.

The papers when first circulated appeared to the French exceedingly aggressive. I am not a convert to this view. The Chinese keep back, as might be expected of them, all reference to the barbarous persecution of converts and missionaries in various places, if not at the instigation of the mandarins, at any rate with their full know-

ledge of what was passing, and they have scanty data for some of their charges of missionary intervention and pretentiousness. But I do not believe that this appeal is an excuse for some blow that they know is about to be struck.

It is fair to add that, by the testimony of Romish missionaries in all directions, the Government is doing its best to prevent any collision with Christians. Three-fourths of the Romish missionaries in China, in all, between 400 and 500 persons, are French; and Romanism in the mouths of non-Christian Chinese, is as popularly termed the religion of the French as the religion of the Lord of Heaven.

A dread of Romish ascendancy, as I have more than once reported, I have heard very frequently allowed; and the fear that the ranks of the Romanists, recruited by all who wish to set their own Government at nought, will presently outnumber the well affected, or that the Romish community, without attaining such proportions, will throw itself for support upon the French, although it is not avowed in the memorandum, is, in my belief, the suggesting cause of its production.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) T. F. WADE.

Inclosure 1.

Memorandum of the Tsung-li Yamên upon the Missionary Question, circulated February 9, 1871.

(Translation.)

WHEN the Treaties between China and foreign countries were concluded, it was hoped that their provisions would prove of advantage to both parties, and of disadvantage to neither, and this for

evermore. The experience of a series of years, however, has shown not only that these provisions will not avail for all time, but that even now there are difficulties which they will not solve.

In trade, indeed, there is no cause of serious quarrel between native and foreigner, but connected with the missionary question there is a vast amount of mischief on the increase, the fact being that while propagandism* starts with the announcement that its object is the exhortation of people to virtue, Romanism† as propagated in China, has the effect of setting the people against it; and inasmuch as this is entirely the result of the unsuitableness of the *modus operandi* now in vogue, it is essential that there be devised, without loss of time, such remedial measures as will bring things back to a satisfactory condition.

The missionary question affects the whole question of pacific relations with foreign powers—the whole question of their trade. As the Minister addressed cannot but be well aware, wherever missionaries of the Romish profession appear, ill-feeling begins between them and the people, and for years past, in one case or another, points of all kinds on which they are at issue, have been presenting themselves. In earlier times, when the Romish missionaries first came to China, styled, as they were, "Si Ju," the Scholars of the West, their converts no doubt for the most part were persons of good character; but since the exchange of ratifications in 1860, the converts have in general not been of a moral class. The result has been that the religion that professes to exhort men to virtue has come to be thought lightly of; it is in consequence unpopular, and its unpopularity is

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* "Chuan chiao," propagation of the doctrine.

† Tien-chu-chi," the doctrine of the Lord of Heaven.

greatly increased by the conduct of the converts who, relying on the influence of the missionaries, oppress and take advantage of the common people (the non-Christians): and yet more by the conduct of the missionaries themselves, who, when collisions between Christians and the people occur, and the authorities are engaged in dealing with them, take part with the Christians, and uphold them in their opposition to the authorities. This undiscriminating enlistment of proselytes has gone so far that rebels and criminals of China, pettifoggers and mischief-makers, and such like, take refuge in the profession of Christianity, and covered by this position, create disorder. This has deeply dissatisfied the people, and their dissatisfaction long felt grows into animosity, and their animosity into deadly hostility. The populations of different localities are not aware that Protestantism and Romanism are distinct. They include both under the latter denomination. They do not know that there is any distinction between the nations of the West. They include them all under the one denomination of foreigners, and thus any serious collision that occurs equally compromises all foreigners in China. Even in the provinces not concerned, doubt and misgiving are certain to be largely generated. Under such circumstances, how is it possible but that there should be irritation, and that this should show itself in serious outbreaks? That creed is distinct from creed, and nationality from nationality, is a truth, and it is not that this truth has not been again and again the subject of injunction and exposition, but the inculcation of the truth of such things upon every one, house by house, and family by family, is scarcely possible.

During the ten years that the Prince and the

Ministers have held office* the apprehension (that something of this sort would happen) has been to them a subject of anxiety from night to morning; and now, this year, at a moment's notice, did come this outbreak at Tien-tsin. The condemnation of the local authorities, the decapitation of the principals, and the payments for indemnity and reparation, have all been nearly arranged, but they cannot help continuing anxious, because, if measures like these are all that one can rely on for (the disposing of) quarrels between the people and the Christians, the oftener they are resorted to the greater will be the difficulty (of resorting to them), and outbreaks like this (of Tien-tsin) will recur, each more terrible than the preceding. While things present the aspect they now wear, how is it possible that there should be no future misunderstandings? Be it that the troubles connected with propagandism come of the resentment of the people roused at last to wrath? It is not the less a fact that the Christians have given them cause of exasperation. Allowing again that, with cases of the kind in the provinces, the local authorities have not always succeeded in dealing satisfactorily, it is not the less a fact that their failure is due to the course pursued by the high authorities, native and foreign, administering (international) questions. They well know that, in the arrangements affecting the missionaries and the Christians, there is much of incongruity (much that does not go smoothly); but they do not choose to take steps for the remedying of this; and when, one day or other, an affair comes suddenly upon them, all the foreign Government

* That is since the establishment of the Yamén of Foreign Affairs in 1860.

thinks of is the moment's comfort (some arrangement that will do for the time being); no regard is had to the question whether the people's feelings are for or against (what is required); the one thing to be done is to constrain them by force. The Chinese authorities, on their side, looking only to settlement somehow or other, are without an alternative.

Thus, both parties alike being set upon the adjustment *pro tempore* of what is before them, no thought on either side is bestowed upon (measures that will continue effectual) at any length of time; and when a foreign Government is applied to, as on occasion it is, to inquire (with that of China) into the source and origin (of these misunderstandings), to the end that some means may be discovered of preventing them for all time to come, there is, alas, no disposition to discuss the matter in a spirit of equity. If there be a discussion something utterly impracticable is proposed; and this is urged with violence in order that its non-adoption may be an excuse for a dead-lock.

This is not that spirit of honesty in which international agents should treat affairs.

The Prince and the Ministers are taking thought for the common interest in all its bearings. Greatly desiring that China and foreign nations should be well with each other, that peace should endure for evermore, they are bound to consider maturely what course it may be best to pursue. They humbly conceive that to enable the teachers of religion in the States of the West to live as they do in each other's countries without misunderstanding ever arising (between them and the natives of the country they adopt), there must be some suitable arrangement in virtue of which neither the teacher nor follower of the

religion has it in his power to give trouble. They have been told that the teacher of religion, no matter what his nationality, if residing in a country not his own, conforms to the laws and usages of that country, and that he is not allowed to assume a status of independence, that he is strictly interdicted disobedience to the laws of the State, or the commands of the authorities, usurpation of power not belonging to him, or excessive use of power that does belong to him; injury of people's characters (or, creation of scandal) and tyrannical treatment of people; for that by such acts the suspicion of the people is provoked, and their animosity excited; all lawless doings, in short. Were this the course pursued in China, if before building religious establishments, and beginning to preach [the missionary] was to make certain of not producing a feeling of aversion and odium on the part of the gentry and people, there would be confidence (between the two parties), instead of suspicion; steps would then be taken that would make a long endurance of friendly understanding a possibility, and would prevent the destruction of establishments, and the abuse of the religion. And if the teachers of religion were to make the public well understand what they are engaged about as the business of their vocation; if they did nothing that was at issue with the doctrine they teach; if, farther, they would not let their converts instigate them to meddle with the public business of the locality, and to do acts of violence and oppression on the strength of their position, acts such as move the gentry and people to wrath and hatred; if missionaries would conduct themselves in this manner, the people would be on good terms with them, the authorities could protect them. The course pursued by the missionaries who now come

to China is at variance in every particular with any that the Prince and Ministers have ever understood (to be sanctioned by their religion); and being, as they are, just like an infinite number of independent rival States in the heart of another State, is it possible that, however much they may desire it, peace should be kept for ever unbroken between them (and the people among whom they may be), or that the authorities and people should be prevented uniting in feelings of anger and hatred against them?

The Prince and Ministers would guard against mischief before it becomes a fact, and what they seriously apprehend is this: that when the Tien-tsin case is closed, the Christians in different places, knowing no better, will be emboldened by it, and (so far from taking warning by what has occurred, will), on the contrary, allow themselves to swagger and bluster *ad libitum;* the dislike of the people will be intensified, and after due accumulation their wrath will burst forth at a day's warning; a great catastrophe will be the consequence of the effervescence; it will be beyond the control of the local authorities, presently beyond the control of the Provincial Governments, and the Yamên of Foreign Affairs will be equally powerless. And if there be an unanimous rising of the Chinese people, His Majesty our Emperor may send Special Commissioners, or may set troops in motion in all parts of the Empire; but the whole population cannot be put to death. Their anger, besides, once roused, we must be prepared for the refusal of the people to bow the head and submit to death. But when it comes to this that the damage is past help, and the Governments, Chinese and foreign, notwithstanding their desire, in that they are at peace, to preserve the common

interest from harm, are without a means to that end, a charge will lie at the door of the international agents of both, from which they cannot excuse themselves.

To sum up: whether in China or in any other country, it is essential that action taken be in accord with popular feeling. If it be not so in accord, and the popular feeling be violently overborne, there is sure to be in the long run a popular convulsion. There are occasions in which orders, though they be the orders of the Government, will not be obeyed.

If the Diplomatic Agents of China and foreign countries, upon whom the responsibility rests, are utterly without [counsels that may] supply [what is wanting], and rescue [what is imperilled from danger]; if they are to sit still looking on at the people of China and the mercantile communities of different nations in a most critical position, unable to suggest any course of action that shall serve its purpose [in the matter under discussion], it will come to pass by-and-by that in no public matter of common interest will a satisfactory course of action be possible. The Prince and the Ministers desiring to preserve inviolate the friendly relations of China with other nations, are earnestly set upon discovering some means of remedying [the mischief here considered], and to this end they have drawn up eight Articles (or Rules), copy of which they forward for the perusal of the Minister addressed.

They are sending a copy to each of the representatives. This is addressed to Mr. Wade, who they hope will examine it.

Inclosure 2.

Eight Propositions appended to the Yamên's Memorandum on the Missionary Question.

(Translation.)

1. THE practice of taking young children into the missionary (or Christian) "yü-ying-t'ang (infant asylums) without giving notice to the authorities has invested the proceeding with an air of mystery, the result of which is the generation of suspicion, out of the fermentation consequent on which come acts (or feelings) of hostility. It would be best to break up all these foreign asylums in order to the prevention of misgiving; but if their suppression be impossible, the admissions into the Christian asylums might be limited to the children of Christian parents unable to take care of them. Notice ought in any case to be given to the authorities, that they might place it on record on what day [any child] was taken in, who the child was, and when it was taken away again; also what person, if any, was authorized, on giving security, to adopt it; so that a means might be known to exist of ascertaining the facts. Children not belonging to Christian families, it will be the duty of the Provincial Governments of China to direct the local authorities of their jurisdictions to choose members of the lettered class to deal with.

Thus each party (the Christian and the non-Christian) would do its own good work, and beginnings of suspicion would be prevented.

[*Original note on the above.*]—By the rule affecting Chinese infant asylums, the history of every child as it comes in and goes out of the asylum is known; it is reported to the authorities. After the child is admitted, its parents

are enabled to visit it. As it grows up it may either be adopted by some childless person, security being given, or the family which entered it may take it back. Whatever may be the persuasion [in which it was born] to that persuasion it returns. The children being, withal, charitably taken care of in the asylums their reception into them is consequently a charitable work.

The way of managing children's asylums in foreign countries is understood to be much the same as that under the Chinese system: but the peculiar system under which, in China, foreign asylums are managed, the admission of children without inquiry as to their history, the absence of all notice to the authorities, the refusal of permission to persons to adopt the children or to take them back, or to their families to visit them, inevitably produce suspicion on the part of the people.

Thus, in the Tien-tsin affair, it has been represented to the Throne, no doubt, that the hearts or eyes of children had not in any case been taken out (as was alleged), but the people's doubts are not for all that entirely removed. Their mouths may be closed, but they do not surrender their convictions, and there is no saying that their misgivings may not at some future time again be productive of hostility. If all the foreign infant asylums were broken up, and [the foreigner] were to do his work of charity in his own country, the saving and bringing up of Chinese children, whether Christians or not, would devolve upon China. There is a large number of establishments for this purpose in every province of China. What occasion is there then for the intervention of foreign nations in a fashion which renders a proceeding in the interest of charity a cause of suspicion and indignation? It were far better that

each party should do its own work of charity. This would be the surest way of preventing mischief for all time to come.

2. Women should under no circumstance be admitted into the chapels (or establishments), nor should female missionaries be allowed in China: this to show a sense of decorum on the part of the Christians, and to prevent criticism of their proceedings as extraordinary, on the part of the Chinese.

[*Original Note.*]—In China the highest importance is attached to good fame (or, to the decorum which insures it), and to modest deportment. The men and women have no immediate intercourse with each other; their apartments are separated, and the line of demarcation between them is very strictly observed (or, insisted upon). Since the relaxation of the restrictions affecting Romanism, people have heard, to their surpise that women go into the chapels, and the fact that the sexes are not kept apart, and that they remain a long time in the chapels, produces a tendency on the part of the people to hold them cheap, and to suspect that their religion is a pretence to cover indecorous (or immoral practices).

3. Missionaries residing in China should be amenable to Chinese law and usages. They should not be allowed an independent position. They should not be allowed to disobey the laws of the State, or the orders of the officials; to assume authority that does not belong to them, or to overstep the limits of the authority that does belong to them; to cause scandal to reputations, or to oppress the people, thereby producing suspicion, and provoking the multitude to anger. Neither should they exasperate the people by reviling Confucianism. All missionaries ought to be under the control of the local authorities; and Chinese Christians

should in every respect be on the same footing as ordinary Chinese. They should be exempted, according to the rules [in force] from contributing to theatrical entertainments, and processions (or gatherings); but they ought not to be more exempt [than any other Chinese], from corvées, or the public obligations of the locality. Still less should they presume upon their religious profession to evade full payment either of the regular revenue, or of rent due to the landlords of their holdings; neither should they be upheld by their missionaries in their refusal to pay.

The administration of justice, in cases in which Christians and non-Christians are both interested, should be always left to the local authorities; the missionaries should not put themselves forward to fight their battles, neither should they keep Christians, whether plaintiff or defendant, from appearing in the Courts, to the embarrassment of the parties in the case.

When a missionary takes on himself to interfere, the local authorities should send up the letter of the missionary, or report his language, if his appeal was made in person, to the high authorities of the province, and these should communicate with the Yamên; and the missionary should be sent back to his own country. Chinese Christians [on the other hand], if, in law-suits affecting marriages, land questions, or the like, they attempt to take advantage of their status [as Christians], and try to get the missionaries to plead for them, should be severely punished by the local authorities.

[*Original Note.*]—In China there are adherents to the doctrine of Confucius, also to that of Buddha, and to that of Tao [but all alike obedient to the law of the land]. The Lamas, for instance, although not Chinese, in all cases conform obediently to the laws of China. The local authorities

dispose of all questions and cases [in which they are parties].

It is understood that [abroad] foreign missionaries when residing in other countries than their own, are in every case amenable to the laws and customs of that country. They are not permitted to assume a status of independence, and to violate the laws of the country and commands of the constituted authorities; to arrogate to themselves the authority [of officials], or to overstep the limits of their own powers; to cause scandal to reputations, and tyrannize over and ill-treat the people, thereby exciting popular suspicions, and calling forth general hatred and indignation.

Missionaries in China ought in like manner, when in the practice of their calling, to submit to the jurisdiction of the local authorities. Instead of doing so they go beyond all bounds in assuming an attitude of arrogant importance and of overbearing resistance to the authorities.

Native Christians again are Chinese subjects, and it is still more incumbent on them to be well-behaved, and to be in every respect like the ordinary subjects of the country. Whether in the towns or in the country they ought to be on good terms and act in harmony with their neighbours. But far from doing so, when [for instance] a district is called on to contribute [either money or services] for a public purpose, or when a fund has to be collected in a neigbourhood for a common object, they seek to excuse themselves from contributing by pleading their religion. When they thus take the lead in isolating themselves, how can others help regarding them as isolated? They even go so far as to refuse the payment of taxes, and to resist the officers of justice. They coerce the authorities, and cheat and oppress the people. And the foreign missionaries, without

inquiring into facts, conceal in every case the Christian evil-doer, and refuse to surrender him to the authorities for punishment. It has even occurred that malefactors who have been guilty of the gravest crimes have thrown themselves into the profession of Christianity, and have been at once accepted and screened [from justice]. In every province do the foreign missionaries interfere at the offices of the local authorities in law-suits in which native Christians are concerned. For example, in a case that occurred in Sze-chuen in which some native Christian women defrauded certain persons [non-Christians] of the rent owing to them, and actually had these persons wounded and killed, the French Bishop took on himself to write in official form [to the authorities] pleading in their favour. None of these women were sentenced to forfeit life for life taken, and the resentment of the people of Sze-chuen in consequence remains unabated.

In Kwei-chow, native Christians, whenever they have a law-suit, of whatever kind it may be, invariably state in their plaint that they are Christians ; and they do so in the hope of thereby gaining their ease. The evils that result from such a practice are easily seen.

It happens frequently in the provinces that, if after a betrothal has taken place between two families, one of the families becomes Christian, while the other remains non-Christian, the non-Christian family is at once compelled to break off the marriage engagement.

Again, it may happen that the father or elder brother in a family becomes a Christian, while the sons or younger brothers remain non-Christians. The father or elder brother will at once file a petition in the courts, charging the son or younger brother with disobedience, and will be supported

and assisted in this action by the missionary. These, and numberless proceedings of the same kind, have roused the deepest popular resentment.

4. Where Chinese and foreigners live together in the same locality, the law must be impartially administered.

In cases of homicide, the penalty being a life for a life, Chinese subjects ought to be dealt with according to Chinese law, and foreigners according to foreign law*. This would satisfy popular feeling.

In every case, whether dealt with by Chinese or foreign officials, the penalty to be undergone should be awarded with reference to the case itself, and no claim for pecuniary compensation over and above the punishment of the criminal concerned should be brought forward. Still less should it be permitted the [missionaries] to go beyond the criminals concerned ; and by insisting on the complicity of members of the gentry, or of the mercantile class, to compel innocent persons to pay indemnity. In cases between converts and non-converts that come before the local authorities, whichever party may be found to be the aggressors, in awarding the punishment to be inflicted there ought to be no undue severity on either side.

Should the character of a convert be of a generally lawless character, and the knowledge of his conduct reach the local authorities, whether by special inquiry or by a complaint lodged [said convert] should submit to be arrested, and dealt with according to law. His missionary should not be permitted to protect or conceal him. Should there be attempts to protect him, or to

* The writer means that the foreigner ought to be put to death.

resist the summons of the local authority, the offender must still be punished as the law lays down; and in addition, the missionary attempting to protect and to resist the local authority, should be required to undergo the same penalty as the offender himself, or in default of submission be withdrawn [from China] to his own country.

[*Original Note.*]—In the case of the missionary Fêng-Pi-Lo (Mabileau), killed in a collision in Sze-chuen in 1867, one Yan Lao-wu was arrested, tried, and executed; but the missionary Mei (Mihières) persisted in asserting that the gentry were the chief instigators [of the outrage], and forced the payment of 80,000 taels as compensation. The men engaged in that disturbance were all ignorant, indigent, common people. It was an affair which came to a head and broke out suddenly. But the proceedings of the missionaries, in requiring the payment by respectable, wealthy, well-behaved people, of a sum of money by way of compensation, has caused the deepest indignation.

Again, take the case of the missionary Li Kao (Rigaud) who was killed in a collision in Sze-chuen in 1869. The real cause of the affair was the repudiation of a betrothal at the instance of a native Christian, who insisted upon its repudiation. The Tartar General Ch'ung, and the Governor-General, Li, were associated in dealing with the case. They arrested and executed Ho Ts'ai, a Chinese non-Christian, the principal in the murder of the missionary and native Christians, and sentenced one Liu-Fu to death by strangulation. But as regards the native Christians, Wang Hsiao-ting, Ch'ang Tien-hsing, and others, who have murdered poor non-Christians, and who are well known to be the leaders of a gang of evil-doers, who for years have been committing acts of ex-

tortion, rape, abduction, arson, and murder, though sentence has been passed upon them, they have never delivered themselves up.

Again, in the case of the Seu-to (sacristan), T'an Fu-Ch'ên, who at the head of a band [of assassins] killed Choa Yung-lin, and over 200 others, members of the local militia, the missionary Mei (Mihières) asserts that this offender has gone abroad, and that there are no means of punishing him; and the indignation and hatred of the people of Sze-chuen have been greatly increased in consequence.

5. The passports taken out by French missionaries, [authorizing them] to proceed to any province to preach and teach, should state distinctly and precisely the province and prefecture they propose going to. If the passport of a missionary states that he is to pursue his calling in a particular province, he should not be permitted on any false pretext to repair clandestinely to another province.

The name of the holder of a passport should be set forth thereon and he should not be permitted to transfer it at pleasure to another person.

The missionary should not be permitted to defraud the revenue by carrying dutiable goods through the barriers and customs stations he may pass *en route*. On arrival in the province and prefecture for which he is bound, he should deliver up his passport for inspection at the yamên of the local authority. If, on examination, it be found that the holder and the locality do not correspond [with what is stated on the passport], or if the passport has been transferred to a native Christian who assumes therewith the status of a missionary, the passport should be cancelled; and if the transfer has been corruptly made for a money consideration, or if there are any other circumstances of illegality connected with the affair, the

native who has illegally assumed the missionary status will be punished with severity, and the missionary should himself be expelled the country.

In regard to the names of the missionaries inserted in the passports, the name, as written in Chinese, must be taken as the real name, in order that the local [authorities] may be able to distinguish one from another. On the death of a missionary, or if he return to his native country, or if he change his calling and cease to be a missionary, his passport should be delived up at once to be cancelled. In order to show the genuine desire [of the Chinese Government] to extend an efficient protection [to missionaries, it should be laid down that] no holder of passports will be permitted to go to districts in any province where there are rebels, and no passports issued for any province in which military operations are being carried on.

[*Original Note.*] — In a missionary case in Kwei-chow, there was mentioned one Chao, a missionary, but in the Missionary Passport Register for Kwei-chow, no such name was found. M. Deveria, the Interpreter [of the French Legation], wrote to say that he found, on reference to the old foreign register, that Chao Seu-to (sacristan) who had died of wounds he had received, had been called Chao by mistake, and was in reality the persen who, under the name of Jui Lo-ssu, had taken out a passport on the 25th day of the 6th moon of the 4th year of T'ung Chih (16th August, 1865). Now it appears from the records that one Jui Lo-ssu did take out passport No. 325 on August 16, 1865, but he was proceeding to Sze-chuen, and in the Passport Register for Kwei-chow neither the name Chao nor Jui Lo-ssu occur. If such discrepancies and such interchanging of places and names as the foregoing is allowed, how is it possible to arrive

at that knowledge of the truth which is necessary to the rendering of due protection? Again, take the case of the missionary Lin Fu-chên (Paul Splingaert), who killed the Russian. Lin Fu-chên was at first a missionary, and afterwards became a servant in the Prussian Legation, but his passport was never returned to be cancelled. Should the document be transferred to another person, or should it fall into other hands, not only would the irregularity of falsely assuming an improper status unavoidably take place, but should it eventually reach the hands of a rebel, the resulting injury to the Government would be very serious, and it may be asked, "would the good name of the Christian Society not also be compromised?"

6. Since the missionaries have for their object the exhortation of men to virtue, it is their duty, before receiving any person into their society, to ascertain whether he has or has not been an offender against the law, [or whether he is a person] of bad character. [If he is found to be such as] can be received, let them receive him; if not, they ought not to receive him. In accordance with the law of China, providing that a return [of the inmates] of all temples shall be sent in to the headman of the district [to be entered by him] in a register [which he shall keep] for reference, a separate report ought to be made to the local authorities within a given time, of every man received into their sect, stating the year, month, and day of his reception, the place he comes from, and his means of subsistence up to that date. [They ought] further to [guarantee] that the man is not an offender against the law, and that he has not changed his name, [that a note may be made of the same] for [future] reference; and if any man so received die or go away, they should in all cases immediately report.

If, when a man is received into a sect, there be nothing against him, but if after his reception he commit a breach of the law, he should at once be expelled, and, as in other cases [above detailed], a report be made.

Every month and every quarter a general return should be sent in to the local authorities for inspection, and those officers, in accordance with the law of China, [authorizing] the inspection of Buddhist nunneries and temples, the Taoist establishments should in the same manner pay a visit of inspection to the missionary establishments monthly and quarterly.

By this means the [good] name of the sect will be preserved unharmed, and peace will be preserved [between Christian and non-Christian].

[*Original Note*].—In the 5th year of T'ung Chih (1866), the Governor of Kwei-chow reported [the following] case:—

At Kuei-ting-hsien, Jan Shih-pao and others, followers of the rebels, had joined a society established by Yüan-yü-hsiang and Hsia Chen-hsing, converts, and had made their Christianity a pretext for getting together a number of men, joined with whom they murdered two men, Wang-chiang-pao and Tso-yin-shu, and wounded three others, taking all their money, household property, oxen, and horses.

Again, in the 8th year of T'ung Chih (1869), the Governor of Kwei-chow reported [the following] case:—

The whole prefecture of Tsun-i had sent in a petition complaining that Sung Yü-shan, T'ang Shen-hsien, T'an Yüan-shuai, and Chien Yüan-shai, *soi-disant* rebel generalissimos, had been received as converts, and that innumerable people in the towns and villages [of the Prefecture] had suffered injury at their hands.

Again: Yang Hsi-po, Liu K'ai-wên, Ch'ing Hsiao-ming, Ho Wen-chiu, Chao Wên-an, and others, all of whom were converts and people of disreputable families in the jurisdiction of Tsun-i, employed in the business of the religious establishments, were tyrannising over the orphans and the weak, and oppressing and extorting money from the simple villagers. They went in and out of the courts [as they pleased], and engrossed the management of [all] lawsuits. If any converts were non-suited (or lost their cause), Yang Hsi-po and the rest at once forced their way into the magistracy with a crowd of [their fellow-] converts, and compelled the magistrate to alter his decision. If any convert was taken into custody, they went at once with the foreign missionary's card, and requested his immediate release. There were very many cases of unlawful possession of men's wives and daughters and of property, and murder, and all such crimes.

7. Missionaries should obey the established laws (or respect the dignity) of China; in this they ought not to transgress, be it ever so little. They have no right to use offieial seals or to attempt official correspondence with Yamêns, large or small, in the form arguing equality of position. If a case oceurs in which they have to appeal in their own behalf to the authorities, the case not being connected with other lawsuits, their application to the authorities ought to be in the form which, in acccordance with Chinese usage, is employed by the literati, a ping (petition). If they visit Chinese high officials, they ought to observe the same ceremonies as those laid down by Chinese law to be observed by Chinese literates when visiting high officers; and when they have to request an interview with the local authorities, they ought also to observe the same rule. They

have no business to come straight (unceremoniously) into a public office, to the confusion and disturbance of public business.

[*Original Note.*]—In the spring of the 6th year of T'ung Chih (1867), the General at Ch'eng-tu wrote to report that the French bishop [by name] Hung (Pinehon) had, when writing to the official Committee (most likely that charged with raising funds for the suppression of rebellion) in Sze-chuen, made use of a [Chinese] official seal which he had had cast.

In the 7th year of T'ung Chih (1868), Hu Fu-li (Fawrie), Bishop of Kwei-chow, took upon himself to address the Yamên a communication in the form "chao hui," which he sent by the Government post couriers, commending To-wên, the former Taoutae and others, and requesting that extraordinary marks of favour might be bestowed upon them.

A case occurred of a missionary in Shantung assuming the title of Sinn-fu (Governor of a province).* Both in Sze-chuen and Kwei-chow missionaries have held such language as that in consequence of cases affecting the religion they were obliged to request the withdrawal of the local authorities. This is not only encroachment upon the authority of the local officials, but usurpation of the authority of the Chinese Government. How is it possible that all these improprieties should not arouse general indignation?

8. In the interest of peace it will not do for missionaries to be demanding restitution of any chapel they may please to indicate. When Christians wish to buy land for the erection of religious

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* The words literally mean "to go the rounds comforting or consoling;" used as a title, they designate a Provincial Governor.

establishments, or to rent public places, they should, first, in conjunction with the real owner of the property, lay the matter before the local authority, that he may ascertain whether the fêng shui* will be interfered with. If he allows the sale, after inquiry, and if, moreover, the people of the place are not hostile to it, authority can be given to proceed in accordance with the Agreement of the 4th year of T'ung Chih (1865), that is, it ought to be stated on the title-deed that the land belongs to the Chinese Christians as their common property. It should not be permitted in buying property to effect the transfer by making use of some other name [than that of the real purchaser]; nor should it be permitted to effect the transfer irregularly (otherwise than as the law requires) upon the deceitful representations of dishonest people.†

[*Original Note.*]—As missionaries have to reside permanently in China, it is, of course, desirable that they should be on good terms with the Chinese, and that they should not provoke the irritation and dislike of the Chinese. They would then be able to live in harmony with them without exciting suspicion. At the present time much of the conduct of Christians clashes against the feelings of the Chinese people. To take claims for the restitution of chapels as an instance:—During the last few years the restitution of chapels in different places in every province has been

* The "fêng shui," air and water influence, is one of the great pests of China. In the aspect of a house, choice of a grave, opening of a door or window planting of a chimney, this influence has to be consulted, and to the neglect of it most direful consequences are attributed.

† To avoid discussions, the missionary, I believe, occasionally endeavours to acquire the ground needed by putting forward this or that particular Christian. There can be no real objection to this proceeding.

insisted upon, without any regard for the feeling of the masses, the missionaries obstinately persisting in their claims. They have also pointed out fine handsome houses [belonging to, or occupied by] the gentry or others, as buildings once used as churches, and these they have compelled the people to give up. Places even [the surrender of which] was as a question of dignity improper,* with meeting-halls, clubs, temples, all such being places held in high respect by the gentry and people of the whole neighbourhood, they have forced from them for the benefit of the Church, in lieu [of other lands or buildings].†

A farther consideration is this: — Buildings which were once used as chapels have been in some cases sold years ago by Christians; and having been sold and re-sold by one of the people to another, have passed through the hands of several proprietors. There is also a large number of buildings which have been newly repaired at very considerable expense, of which the missionaries have insisted on the restitution, refusing at the same time to pay anything for them. On the other hand there are some houses which have accidentally become dilapidated, and the missionaries put in a claim for the necessary repairs. Their conduct excites the indignation of the people whenever they come in contact with each other, till they appear to be at feud with each other, and it becomes impossible for them to live quietly together.

The grievances detailed in this Memorandum are only a few instances cited to show the impropriety of missionary proceedings, and the [consequent] impossibility of a good understanding

* Probably Yamêns are meant.

† Other lands, &c., restoration of which they could not obtain.

between the Christians and the people. No time should be lost in looking for a remedy suited to the disease, one that may so avail both parties as to prevent the missionary question injuriously affecting friendly relations between China and foreign countries. There are other cases, too, in every province too numerous to mention.

There are good men as well as bad; by the removal of the tares the wheat is strengthened. Thus, in trade, by dealing severely with fraudulent merchants, the interests of the upright are secured. Now, if the missionaries make no distinction between good and bad men, but receive all men alike that come forward into their church, then the wicked who become their converts will use their religion to compass the ruin of the good.

Extreme indeed would be the danger if, popular indignation having been once seriously aroused by this opposition to the authorities, the hatred of the whole population of China were excited like that of the people of Tien-tsin against foreigners, and orders, though issued by the Government, could not be for all that put in force.

In the propositions here enumerated, the Chinese Government, while making every effort to assure the security [of the foreigner], is adhering, on the other hand, to a policy of liberal treatment. If the missionaries will faithfully endeavour to abide by what is laid down, peace can be maintained between them and the Chinese; but if they consider themselves [too much] restricted by it, or if they regard it as at issue with the tenets of their religion, they had best not proselytize in China. Native Christians will, of course, be treated as favourably as non-converts. No distinction will be made. The meaning of this is not that China is laying a prohibition on missionary preaching, but that by not attending peaceably to their proper

work, and by allowing themselves to be made tools of by native Christians, missionaries will for certain provoke an amount of popular indignation that there will be no facing, [and that on this will follow] a universal catastrophe.* It is better, therefore, now to explain [what the danger is] beforehand than to prove unable to give due protection when the moment arrives.

Inclosure 3.

Note addressed by the Minister Wên Siang to Sir R. Alcock.

(Translation.)

THE writer again addresses [Sir R. Alcock.]

The object of foreigners who enter the interior to propagate their doctrines is the exhortation of men to virtue. But among their converts there are men evil disposed and well disposed; [the latter] relying on their creed as a sort of magic spell which shall protect them, by their conduct bring the preaching of Christianity into such discredit that [the people] are unwilling to allow the missionary to remain in any place that he goes to. Add to this, that the missionary thinks only of the number of converts he can make; he makes no inquiry into private character, but receives and enrols all [who come]. Having entered the [Christian] society, the good are bent no doubt on being good, but on the other hand the evil make [their religion] a pretext for defrauding and oppressing unoffending people, till by degrees indignation and rage reach a point at which the relations [of the two parties] become as those of fire and water. At the present time, as the British

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* *Lit.*, a grand smash in every place.

Minister must doubtless be well aware, case after case of murder has occurred, the consequence of feuds btween Christians and non-Christians. Although the creeds of the various foreign countries differ in their origin and development from each other, the natives of China are unable to see the distinction between them. In their eyes all [teachers of religion] are "missionaries from the West," and directly they hear a lying story [about any of these missionaries], without making further and minute inquiry [into its truth], they rise in a body to molest him. The Yang-chow affair is plain evidence of this.

Now if no preventive measures are adopted some great catastrophe will inevitably arise.

Regulations ought, therefore, to be drawn up, with such care as shall enable them to prevent native Christians from making their religion a pretext for extorting money from honest people, or the non-Christians from taking advantage of their numerical superiority to defraud and oppress the Christians; which shall besides bring missionaries, even as the priests of the Buddhist and Taouist sects, under the jurisdiction of the local authorities. Seeing that missionaries wish to reside in China, that their doctrines may gradually be propagated far and wide, they cannot wish the Chinese to look upon them as differing from themselves. They ought, therefore, to put themselves on the same footing as Chinese subjects. Buddhism is also a creed of Western origin, but the reason why its followers have so long been at peace with the Chinese, each party adhering to his own religion, is this, that although there is a difference of religion, the propagators of this creed are, as well as the others, under the control of the local authorities. And so in Confucianism, the system most esteemed in China, when such men as Chin shih and Han lin (those who have taken the

highest degrees), after having filled official positions, return home, or become the heads of schools, they become subordinate as they were before [they took office] to the local authorities. This is always the rule. At the present time foreign missionaries, as a general rule, adopt the Chinese dress, but they do not [at the same time] submit to Chinese law. They thus begin by holding themselves as outside [the pale of the law], and show to others that they are not to be treated as ordinary people. And the native Christians go farther: they defraud and oppress ordinary subjects of the country, or withstand and disobey the authorities. [Such being the case] it is not to be wondered at that men become indignant, and that surprise is everywhere manifested.

But let only this change be made, viz., that [missionaries] be placed under the control of the local authorities (who must not be allowed to be vexatious in their treatment of them), and the result will be that Christians and non-Christians will be placed on a just level vis-à-vis with each other, and no troubles will arise from unexpected sources.

The missionary question, moreover, gravely affects the whole question of commercial relations.

Some measure must, therefore, be devised in time that shall insure the maintenance of everlasting and sincere friendship.

The writer hopes for a reply.

8th year, 5th moon, 17th day (June 26, 1869).

Inclosure 4.

Mr. Wade to the Minister Wên Siang.

SIR, *Peking, June* , 1871.

In accordance with the promise I made your Excellency when I had the pleasure of meeting you at the Yamên of Foreign Affairs a few days

ago, I beg to submit to you some observations on the papers relating to the missionary question which were forwarded me by yourself and the President Shên, on the 9th of February last.

It will be in your recollection that, when they were sent me, I made an effort to have their circulation postponed until portions of them which seemed to me open to criticism could be revised; and, in my note of the 11th February, I proposed to lay before you a statement in writing of my views on the subject. I was engaged on a memorandum to be submitted to you when I received your subsequent note of the 13th, urging dispatch, as you wished to address all the Legations at the same moment. I rode to the Yamên the following afternoon for the purpose of tendering my explanations in person, but I was not so fortunate as to see your Excellency; and, on inquiry, I learned that the papers had already been circulated the evening before.

I had been anxious to prevent their issue unrevised, for two reasons in particular: in the first place, on account of the prominence given to the name of France and to the Roman Catholic religion, which I thought might be offensive not only to France but to other Powers whose nationals are also engaged in missionary enterprise in China; in the next place, because the review of the difficulties of the missionary question, more especially in those parts which attempt an explanation of the Tientsin massacre is by no means calculated to insure the Chinese Government that sympathy and support on the part of foreign nations for which these papers are ostensibly an appeal. It was with no small regret, therefore, that I found them in circulation; and my silence up to the present time must be attributed among other reasons in no small part to the discouragement I have felt at discovering, in this instance, as so fre-

quently before, that my advice, even when asked for, has little chance of being attended to.

However, as your Excellency has once more expressed a wish to hear what I have to say, I address myself to the task.

Reversing the order of the documents under review, I begin with the eight Articles appended to the covering note.

Article 1 relates to the infant asylums. Protestant missionaries have not, to my knowledge, established any such asylums, but I am assured that, in those of the Roman Catholics, no objection is ever made to the visits of the parents or friends of an infant. Many of these, at the same time, have neither friend nor parent. They are children who have been abandoned by all. It would be difficult to find any one who would become security for unfortunate outcasts who have been left by the wayside to die.

As I have above stated there are no Protestant asylums in China, and I have, of course, some delicacy in expressing an opinion upon the expediency of this or that course to be pursued by those not of my own persuasion; but I shall concede that, as these children are undoubtedly Chinese subjects, it is not unreasonable to require that a register of the admissions should be kept for the inspection of the Chinese authorities; that they should be free from time to time to visit the asylums; and that the deaths of the infants should in all cases be reported to the authorities.

Article 2 lays down that no Chinese woman should be admitted into the chapels, and that female missionaries should be prohibited in China.

The usage now in force, it is alleged, produces an impression unfavourable to the repute of Christian women, and consequently discredits Christians altogether.

I cannot imagine that any Government, Pro-

testant or Romanist, will consent to the exclusion of its female subjects from China, or that in the face of the various Treaties allowing freedom to natives and foreigners to preach and practise Christianity, they will attempt to interdict their female subjects any more than their male subjects from imparting the truth they prize as professing Christians to others.

Confucius teaches that, while we are not to fail in the practice of virtue ourselves, we are not either to weary in the correction of others, and this is surely not less the duty of woman than of man.

As to the question of decorum, your Excellency is evidently not aware, in the first place, that during service Christian chapels, Protestant and Romish alike, are open to all, non-Christians as well as Christians, who will conduct themselves so as not to interrupt the service ; that there are no doings in either that any outsider is not free to observe : and that in the Romish places of worship in China the sexes, out of deference to Chinese feeling on the subject, are generally, if not always separated. I have seen this with my own eyes at Shanghae, and I believe that it is the rule in their chapels elsewhere.

Article 3 complains of the position arrogated by the missionaries in China in their relations with the authorities of the land, and of various proceedings on their part which irritate both authorities and people, in particular of their interference between the native Christians and the law. The instances given of the offences complained of are not numerous, and the venue is laid in the remote provinces of Kwei-chow and Sze-chuen. The cases brought forward again only affect Roman Catholics. I am assured by the Representative of France, that although he considers it most de-

sirable that the Romish Bishops and their missionaries should have such access to the chief authorities of jurisdictions as will enable them to represent any wrong done to their congregations in the matter of religious freedom, the French Legation does not recognise the claim of the same ecclesiastics to interfere between the Chinese Christian and his official in any question in which the free exercise of his religion is not affected.

If, as it is alleged, foreign missionaries are in the habit of interposing in suits, civil or criminal, or of forcing themselves, either in person or correspondence, upon the authorities in a manner disrespectful or offensive, the remedy, it appears to me, is in the hands of the latter. The authority outraged has but to complain to the nearest consul, or, through the Yamên, to the Legation of the country to which the missionary belongs. I can, of course, answer for no Government but my own, but I am satisfied that Her Majesty's Government would not uphold any British missionary either in an interference in suits, or in the support of a Chinese in his opposition to the laws of China.

In the matter of subscriptions for public purposes, it seems to me that there may be some confusion between the classes of contributions. His conversion to Christianity does not, in the opinion of foreign Governments, in any way affect the Chinese proselyte's subordination to the officers of his Government, or to the laws of the land. It will certainly not be held to exempt him from taxation. But from certain contributions which his fellow-countrymen impose upon themselves he cannot but be exempted, and the Chinese Government is bound to secure his exemption, because, by treaties with foreign Powers, it has engaged to secure to any person practising or preaching

Christianity within its dominions the free exercise of his religion. The Chinese have faith in much that the Christian does not believe in, and when they compel a Christian to take part in ceremonies condemned by his religion, or to subscribe funds in aid of the celebration of such ceremonies, they are interfering with the free exercise of his religion, and against such interference he is entitled to the protection of the Chinese Government.

Take, for instance, the case of prayer for rain, difference of usage in respect of which has been the occasion, as I am informed, of more than one misunderstanding between Chinese Christians and non-Christians. Prayer for rain or for other blessings, or for relief from drought, or for other calamities, is not peculiar to China. But in England, where we have Protestants, Romanists, Jews, and other persuasions, no one denomination is ever allowed to compel another denomination to offer up prayers except in its own way, or to subscribe funds except for the building of its own chapels, or the liquidation of expenses required for the celebration of the ceremonies prescribed by its own ritual. And the same tolerance is stipulated for on behalf of Chinese Christians, whether Greek, Romish, or Protestant in the Treaties with foreign Powers.

Article 4 lays down that, where Chinese and foreigners live together, the law must be impartially administered. This without doubt. But it further seems to imply that, in cases of homicide, popular feeling will not be satisfied unless a life be given for a life.

Under English law this is by no means so possible, as under the law of China. Experience has shown that, in many cases, the latter will condemn a prisoner to death, where the law of England would be satisfied by a penalty far less severe,

if, indeed, it were possible to punish the man at all. It is to be deplored that misunderstandings should arise from a difference in our codes; but I see no remedy for this until China shall see fit to revise the process of investigation now common in her Courts. So long as evidence is wrung from witnesses by torture, it is scarcely possible for the authorities of a foreign Power to associate themselves with those of China in the trial of a criminal case; and unless the authorities of both nationalities are present, there will always be a suspicion of unfairness on one side or the other. This difficulty surmounted, there would be none in the way of providing a code of laws to affect mixed cases; none, certainly, on the part of England; none, in my belief, either, on the part of any other Power.

As to the complicity of persons other than those directly charged with an offence, and by whom it can be shown that the latter were instigated to commit it, I do not see why they should be allowed to escape either punishment or indemnity. But the charge of investigation, again, is very differently understood by the Chinese and the foreigner; and on this point I equally despair of a better understanding until the international code before suggested shall have been agreed to.

The Article closes with the remarkable proposition, that if a missionary protect a Chinese wrongdoer against his authorities, he, the missionary, must be punished as the law would punish the Chinese, or expelled the country.

I am at a loss to understand how any missionary can prevent the arrest of a Chinese charged with an offence against the law. Should a missionary really attempt such intervention, the proper course, as I have before observed, would be an immediate appeal to the Consul or Minister of his nationality.

5. The passport question referred to in this

Article, does not seem to me to need any particular remark. The instances cited of exchange of passports, or confusion of the names of persons holding them, are but two or three in all. I cannot think that when mistakes of the kind do occur, the Legation concerned will be unable to furnish satisfactory explanation, or that, if a passport were unduly obtained or transferred by any person, missionary, or other, the authorities of his nation would refuse to take notice of it. I should be glad to think that every question between China and foreign Powers could be as easily disposed of.

In Article 6 it is proposed that no Chinese of bad character should be allowed to embrace Christianity; and instances are given of persons in the far-west provinces, who, after entering the profession, continued to commit the gravest offences. If this be the fact, why were the offenders not seized, and tried by the district authorities? It is vain to lay the blame of their inaction upon the few missionaries in their jurisdictions. They have not hesitated on occasion to lay violent hands upon the missionaries themselves. In Kwei-chow, only the year before last, three Romish missionaries were seized by the authorities, and one of them died of the ill-treatment he received. I do not understand how the power of the mandarins can be less over their own countrymen.

As to the exclusion of all but good men from the profession, the Christian religion, as every Treaty sets forth, is for the teaching of men to become virtuous. Is it not then the duty of its teachers, like the philosopher Mencius, to turn away none who desire to be converted, "not to scan the past, neither to reject those who tender themselves."

If Chinese break the law once more, their profession as Christians will not screen them from the

penalty of the law; and so with reference to registration, if the Chinese Government chooses to oblige all its subjects professing Christianity to register themselves in any special fashion, it has, no doubt, the power to do this. But I do not see that it can expect the foreign missionary to become its registering officer, and while I do not see either that by registration it would greatly further any legitimate object of good government, it might expose itself to the suspicion that some action against Christians was contemplated that would alarm the foreign Powers in relations with it.

The population of China was estimated before the Tae-ping rebellion at some 400,000,000. It is alleged by some people that this total is now reduced by one-half. Well, of the 200,000,000 that remain, there may be 500,000 of Christians, not more, of whom certainly a large number are as well ordered and as well affected as any other Chinese. I am at a loss to see that the Chinese Government would gain much by insisting on a return which would very probably prove vexatious, and which, if it did, would invite the remonstrance of all the Treaty Powers.

Article VII prescribes the forms which should regulate intercourse between the missionary and the authorities. Speaking for our own missionaries. I see no objection to these. The British Government draws no distinction between the missionary and any other of its non-official subjects, and by Article XI of the Treaty of Nanking, "ping" (representation) is the form in which subjects not holding official positions are required to address the Chinese authorities.

Article VIII, and last, treats of the restoration of buildings formerly belonging to Christians.

This question, which arises out of the engage-

ment contracted by the Chinese Government in Article VI of the French Convention of the 25th October, 1860, affects none but the Romanists, and it is one, the solution of which would seem to rest so exclusively with the Government of France, that I do not feel free to discuss it. I shall only add therefore, that, if in this particular the Chinese Government finds its engagements difficult to discharge, it should avail itself of the presence of its Minister in France to obtain a relaxation of the conditions to which it agreed in 1860.

And this brings me to what I have so frequently pressed upon the Yamên as the one means of securing an escape from difficulty where a misunderstanding has commenced between the Government of China and a foreign Government. It is quite impossible that China should ever attain to a just appreciation of what foreign Powers expect of her, or that she should insure from foreign Powers what she conceives due to her, until she have honestly accepted the conditions of official intercourse which are the sole guarantees against international differences. The chief of these is an interchange of Representatives. I do not say that it is a panacea for all evil ; but it is incontestable that without it wars would be of far more frequent recurrence, and till China is represented in the West, I see no hope of our ever having done with the incessant recriminations and bickerings between the Yamên and foreign Legations, by which the lives of Diplomatic Agents in Peking are made weary. If China is wronged, she must make herself heard ; and, on the other hand, if she would abstain from giving offence, she must learn what is passing in the world beyond her.

I shall add to this long commentary but two

observations. In the opening of your Excellency's note you remark that, in trade, there is little to object to. If this be so, it is a matter of regret that so many commercial questions have to be referred from the ports to Peking; and that, even after reference, when settlement is obtained at all, months, if not years, must first be allowed to elapse.

Foreign Governments will be by no means disposed to admit that our commercial relations are all that they could desire.

Again, referring to the Tien-tsin massacre, your Excellency explains that it was the result of the people's exasperation against Romanism; and you express a fear lest, after the severe punishment inflicted, and the ample indemnities awarded, Christians should be emboldened to go greater lengths than heretofore in the direction which is unpopular.

I have communicated to the Prince of Kung the expression of my Government's dissatisfaction at the tardiness and incompleteness with which that fearful crime was disposed of. I am persuaded that no foreign Government has thought otherwise of the action of the Chinese Government; and that, so far from sharing your Excellency's belief in the encouragement of Christians to greater boldness, the evil for which all Powers alike are on the watch, is the molestation of those who, it has been shown, can be molested with so little risk of consequences to the aggressor.

It is vain to attempt to trace the evil deed to its author; to discover who primarily commenced the agitation against the Romanists; to whom it occurred, while not a child was missing, to revive the horrible calumny that the Romanists were kidnapping children for hateful purposes. It is

sufficient for my present purpose to repeat what I had the honour to observe to the Prince of Kung in my despatch of the 9th of July last, that the Government is responsible for that ignorance of the people which alone can render possible their perpetration of an act so barbarous upon a pretext so ridiculous; and the fact that the people's continuance in such darkness is due to a want of enlightenment on the part of the Government, will not be held to excuse the Government when foreign life and property are jeopardized by the simple people whom the Government is not wise enough to teach.

Compliments,

(Signed) THOMAS FRANCIS WADE.

Earl Granville to Mr. Wade.

SIR, *Foreign Office, August* 21, 1871.

HER Majesty's Government have hitherto abstained from offering any observations upon the Circular of the Chinese Government on the subject of religious missions, of which a translation has been communicated to them by the French Chargé d'Affaires, in the expectation that they might have received some Reports from you regarding it. As, however, they learn from your telegraphic despatches that it will be some time before they will be in possession of your views, they consider that they cannot allow this important paper to remain longer unnoticed, and I have accordingly now to state to you the impression which has been made by it upon Her Majesty's Government.

Her Majesty's Government must, in the first place, protest against the general assertions contained in the Circular and accompanying regulations with regard to missionary enterprise in

China, no distinction being made between the proceedings of missionaries over whom Her Majesty's Government have no control, and of the British missionaries, for whose actions alone can Great Britain be held responsible. They must, moreover, remark that, of the instances of alleged abuses cited, there is not one which is in any way connected with any British missionary establishment.

Her Majesty's Government might accordingly have contented themselves with replying to the Chinese Government that the Circular did not allege any complaints against British subjects, and that they could not enter into a discussion of matters not directly affecting the relations between Great Britain and China.

Her Majesty's Government do not, however, desire to lay too much stress upon this point. They believe it to be the common interest and desire of all the Governments having Treaties with China to co-operate with the Government of the Empire in maintaining the relations between China and their respective countries on the most friendly footing, and Her Majesty's Government will always be ready to consider any representations which the Government of China may have to offer with that object.

On the particular question to which the Circular relates, the policy and practice of the Government of Great Britain have been unmistakable. They have uniformly declared, and now repeat, that they do not claim to afford any species of protection to Chinese Christians which may be construed as withdrawing them from their native allegiance, nor do they desire to secure to British missionaries any privileges or immunities beyond those granted by Treaty to other British subjects.

The Bishop of Victoria was requested to inti-

mate this to the Protestant Missionary Societies in the letter addressed to him by Mr. Hammond by the Earl of Clarendon's direction on the 13th of November, 1869,* and to point out that they would "do well to warn converts that although the Chinese Government may be bound by Treaty not to persecute, on account of their conversion, Chinese subjects who may embrace Christianity, there is no provision in the Treaty by which a claim can be made on behalf of converts for exemption from the obligations of their natural allegiance, and from the jurisdiction of the local authorities. Under the creed of their adoption, as under that of their birth, Chinese converts to Christianity still owe obedience to the law of China, and if they assume to set themselves above those laws, in reliance upon foreign protection, they must take the consequence of their own indiscretion, for no British authority, at all events, can interfere to save them."

On the other hand, Her Majesty's Government cannot forget that the free exercise of the Christian religion in China is stipulated for by the VIIIth Article of the Treaty of the 20th June, 1858, which states that "the Christian religion, as professed by Protestants or Roman Catholics, inculcates the practice of virtue, and teaches man to do as he would be done by. Persons teaching or professing it, therefore, shall alike be entitled to the protection of the Chinese authorities; nor shall any such peaceably pursuing their calling, and not offending against the laws, be persecuted or interfered with." Her Majesty's Government, therefore, although they have given it to be most distinctly understood that conversion to Christianity gives no title to British protection against

* Parliamentary Papers, "China, No. 9, 1870," p. 13.

the operation of the laws of the land, could not be indifferent to the persecution of Christians for professing the Christian faith.

The impracticable nature of the Regulations proposed by the Chinese Government has been so convincingly shown in the note from Mr. Low, the representative of the United States, to the Yamên of the 20th of March last, that it is unnecessary for Her Majesty's Government to do more than refer to some of the principal objections to their acceptance.

The 1st Regulation does not apply to the British Missionary Societies, as they do not support any orphanages in China. Her Majesty's Government could not obviously accede to Regulations which they had no power to enforce. If the missionaries of other countries have conducted such institutions in a manner to give just cause of suspicion to the people of China, Her Majesty's Government feel no doubt that, on a proper representation being made of the facts, the cause of complaint will be removed; but they cannot admit that such an atrocious crime as the massacre at Tien-tsin can be excused by ascribing it to the prejudices of the ignorant.

The 2nd Regulation requires that women ought no longer to enter the churches, nor should Sisters of Charity live in China to teach religion. The objection to women frequenting Christian churches has, Her Majesty's Government understand, been met at Fatshan and elsewhere by a screen having been erected to divide the sexes. To prevent women altogether from attending Divine worship would be in violation of the freedom of religion provided in the Treaty, and would be contrary to the fundamental principles of Christianity. As the Chinese Government are most probably aware that there are no Sisters of Charity attached to

the British Missionary Societies, but Her Majesty's Government could not countenance any Regulation which would cast a slur upon a sisterhood whose blameless lives and noble acts of devotion in the cause of humanity are known throughout the world.

The 3rd and 4th Articles, as respects Chinese Christians, have already been dealt with in the preceding part of this despatch; but Her Majesty's Government cannot allow the claim that the missionaries residing in China must conform to the laws and customs of China to pass unchallenged.

It is the duty of a missionary, as of every other British subject, to avoid giving offence as far as possible to the Chinese authorities or people, but he does not forfeit the rights to which he is entitled under the Treaty as a British subject because of his missionary character.

The 5th Article seems to be directed against French missionaries. The IXth Article of the British Treaty contains provisions to prevent any abuses of passports borne by British subjects; and no passports are granted by British Diplomatic or Consular authorities to persons not of British nationality.

In this regulation, as in the 3rd, 4th, and 5th, mention is made of occurrences in Sze-chuen Her Majesty's Government have urged upon the Chinese Government the expediency of their opening this province to foreign trade, and establishing a port there at which foreign Consuls should reside. If the statements which have been made to the Government of Peking with regard to the irregular proceedings of foreign missionaries and their converts are well founded, the Chinese Government would do well to consider whether the presence of foreign consular authorities is not required to control the improper or ill-directed exercise of the Treaty privileges conferred on their

countrymen. Her Majesty's Government believe that there are no British Protestant missionary establishments in Sze-chuen, but it is impossible to prevent enterprising persons penetrating through a country. Sooner or later they will find their way ; and the true interest of China is to facilitate rather than to restrict the flow of foreign enterprise, and to direct it in the manner most advantageous to that mutually beneficial commercial intercourse on which the prosperity and happiness of nations so largely depend.

Besides showing, as Mr. Low has pointed out, a complete misconception of the nature of the Christian religion, the 6th Regulation is open to the objection that, by constituting the Christians in China a class separated from the rest of the population, it would lead to the very evil of which it is the desire of the Chinese Government to get rid, as the Christians would inevitably regard that separation as conferring on them privileges, for the maintenance of which they must trust to the protection of the Powers in whose Treaties with China the freedom of the Christian religion is provided for.

The 7th Regulation calls for no special observation.

The 8th Regulation does not apply to British missionaries, who have no ecclesiastical property in China to reclaim, and seems to refer to misunderstandings with regard to the operation of the VIth Article of the Treaty with France of the 25th of October, 1860.

Her Majesty's Government trust that the Chinese Government will not suppose that, in withholding their assent to these Regulations they are actuated by any other motive than the wish to avoid embarrassing a question, already of sufficient difficulty, by cumbrous and impracticable regulations.

The remedy for the alleged assumption by mis-

sionaries of a protective jurisdiction over native Christians, which constitutes the gist of the accusations brought forward in the Circular and Regulations, appears to Her Majesty's Government to be sufficiently afforded by the Treaties.

If British missionaries behave improperly, they should "be handed over to the nearest Consul for punishment," like other British subjects, as provided in the IXth Article of the Treaty of Tien-tsin. If the local authorities consider that Her Majesty's Consuls do not in any instance afford redress for their complaints, they can appeal through the Government at Peking to Her Majesty's Minister, in the ordinary course of international usage. Both Her Majesty's Minister and Consuls have extensive powers for maintaining the peace, order, and good government of Her Majesty's subjects in China; and if those powers should be proved to be inadequate, Her Majesty's Government would readily increase them; but until it can be proved that Her Majesty's Minister and Consuls are unable to control Her Majesty's subjects in China by the exercise of the powers confided to them, Her Majesty's Government must decline to supplement the existing Treaties by regulations which, although only intended to deal with a particular class of British subjects, would undoubtedly subject the whole British community in China, to a constant interference in their intercourse with the native population of a most vexatious description.

I am, &c.,

(Signed) GRANVILLE.

Earl Granville to Mr. Wade.

Foreign Office,
August 31, 1871.

SIR,

HER Majesty's Government approve the note of which a copy was inclosed in your despatch of the 8th of June, which you proposed to address to the Minister Wên Siang in reply to the Circular of the Chinese Government upon the missionary question.

The draft of my despatch to you of the 21st instant on this subject had been communicated to the French, North German, Russian, and American Governments before your despatch of the 8th of June had been received.

I am, &c.
(Signed) GRANVILLE.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 15, 1871.

The Prince of Wales's Council Chamber,
Buckingham Gate,
December 12, 1871.

THE names of the Gentlemen who have been nominated to serve the office of Sheriff of the County of Cornwall :—

Sir Charles Brune Graves Sawle, of Penrice, Bart.

Francis Glanville Gregor, of Trewarthenick, Esq.

Richard Davey, of Bochym, Esq.

(C. 1157.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 14, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice of the Portuguese Government, declaring the port of Altona free from cholera morbus since the 11th October last.

(C. 1185.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 14, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Rome stating that vessels arriving in Italian ports which have left Galatz and the shores of the Danube since the 1st ultimo, are subject to fifteen days' quarantine. Their Lordships have also received a Despatch from Her Majesty's Acting Consul at Rustchuk reporting that a quarantine of eleven days had been established since the 26th ultimo, on all arrivals from Roumania, in consequence of the appearance of cholera at Galatz.

War Office, Pall Mall,
15*th December*, 1871.

MEMORANDA.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to permit the 1st (The Royal) Regiment of Foot, to resume the title of the 1st or "*The Royal Scots*

Regiment," by which it was distinguished from 1812 to 1821.

Her Majesty has also been graciously pleased to permit the 51st Regiment (2nd Yorkshire, West Riding, King's Own Light Infantry) to bear on its second Colour the words "*Fuentes d'Onor*," in commemoration of the services of the Regiment in the actions in the Peninsula on the 3rd and 5th of May, 1811.

War Office, Pall Mall,
15*th December*, 1871.

8*th Regiment of Foot*, Lieutenant Frederick B. Joseph Jerrard to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant Dixon, appointed Adjutant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

22*nd Foot.* The name of Lieutenant Croasdaile is spelt *Croasdaile* and not *Croasdale*, as previously gazetted.

37*th Foot*, Lieutenant Josiah Philip C. Neville to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission, on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 16th December, 1871.

45*th Foot*, Lieutenant George Grant Peterkin retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 16th December, 1871.

52*nd Foot*, Lieutenant Evelyn Broomfield Pocklington to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant T. D. Butler, promoted. Dated 31st October, 1871.

83*rd Foot*, Paymaster F. Scrivener, from 95th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Major F. F. Fereday, who exchanges. Dated 16th December, 1871.

95*th Foot*, Paymaster and Honorary Major Frederick Francis Fereday, from 83rd Foot, to be

Paymaster, vice F. Scrivener, who exchanges. Dated 16th December, 1871.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Staff Surgeon William Thomas Paliologus, from half-pay, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Thomas Stawell Barry, deceased. Dated 16th December, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon James Forbes Beattie, M.D., from 79th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice Henry Nugent, placed upon half-pay. Dated 16th December, 1871.

BREVET.

The Commission as Colonel of Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel A. J. Fremantle, Coldstream Guards, to be antedated to the 6th September, 1871.

The undermentioned Officers, having completed the qualifying service, with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonels :—

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Campbell Johnstone, C.B., Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 31st July, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles O. Creagh-Osborne, C.B., 6th Foot. Dated 3rd August, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Stuart Frederick Graham, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 4th August, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel R. L. Thompson, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 26th August, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Lyons, half-pay late 5th West India Regiment, and Assistant Adjutant-General, Home District. Dated 1st November, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Owen Lewis Cope Williams, Major Royal Horse Guards. Dated 7th December, 1871.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death of Lieutenant-General Sir George Inglis Jameson, K.C.S.I., Bombay Infantry, on the 24th October, 1871 :—

Major-General John Macdonald, Bengal Infantry, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 25th October, 1871.

Colonel John Talbot Shakespear, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Major-General. Dated 25th October, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Major-General Henry Young Darracott Scott, C.B., Royal Engineers, has been permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated 21st November, 1871.

The undermentioned promotions, exchanges, and retirements to take place in conformity with the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870, and to be dated 31st October, 1871. The Officers promoted or exchanging to have no claim to back pay prior to 16th December, 1871, but the Officers retiring to be permitted to receive pay up to the 15th December, 1871 :—

29*th Foot*, Ensign Paul Dane O'Brien has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission.

32*nd Foot*, Ensign Charles Robert Glyn has been permitted to retire from the service by the sale of his Commission.

34*th Foot*, Lieutenant John Macredie Mure to be Captain, by purchase, vice Charles Edward Leeson, who retires.

Ensign Jefferson Serrell Wood to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Mure.

41*st Foot*, Ensign Henry John Shaw Kennedy to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice James Henry Sevier, who retires.

63*rd Foot*, Lieutenant Frederick William Day to be Captain, by purchase, vice William Bigg, who retires.

Ensign Herbert Rowley Cook to be Lieutenant, by purchase, vice Day.

109*th Foot*, Major Henry Francis Brooke, from half-pay, late 94th Foot, to be Major, vice J E. A. Mackintosh, who retires upon temporary half-pay.

Half-Pay, Lieutenant Charles Wheler Hume, from Rifle Brigade, to be Captain, without purchase.

Admiralty, 11*th December*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Navigating Lieutenant Haben B. Hunt has been placed on the Retired List from the 4th May last.

Admiralty, 12*th December*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Henry Archer Grimston has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Queen's Commission.

3rd Regiment (Light Infantry) of West York Militia.

Frederick Howard, Esq. (commonly called the Honourable Frederick Howard), late Lieutenant and Captain Coldstream Guards, to be Adjutant, from the 17th September, 1871. Dated 26th September, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Westmorland.

Thomas Taylour, Earl of Bective, M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

The Honourable Henry Charles Brougham to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

William Lowther, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Salkeld to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

William Hugh Parkin, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

Richard Courtenay Musgrave, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

John Edward Hasell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

Frederick Cowper, jun., Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

Hugh Rigg, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

James Atkinson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

Lieutenant-General the Honourable Arthur Upton to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

Sir Henry James Tufton, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

George Atkinson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th November, 1871.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stirling.

Sir Charles Elphinstone Fleming Stirling, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th December, 1871.

Sir William Cuningham Bruce Bruce, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th December, 1871.

Rear-Admiral Sir William Edmonstone, Bart., C.B., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th December, 1871.

Sir George Campbell, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th December, 1871.

Sir James Edward Alexander, Knt., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th December, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, *and of the City and County of the City of* Canterbury.

Kent Artillery Militia.

Walter George Stirling, Esq., late Captain Royal Artillery, to be Major, vice Thomas, resigned. Dated 5th December, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 19, 1871.

Whitehall, December 18, 1871.

THE Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Henry Walford Bellairs, M.A., to the Vicarage of Nuneaton, in the county of Warwick, and diocese of Worcester, void by the death of the Reverend Robert Chapman Savage.

(C. 1195.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, December 18, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice of the Greek Government of the 26th ultimo, imposing a quarantine of eleven days on all arrivals from the coast of Syria between Alexandretta and Jaffa, both places inclusive.

(C. 1199.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall, December 18, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of Notices of the Portuguese Government, declaring Pernambuco and Para free from yellow fever since the 7th of July and the 11th October, respectively, and the ports of the Red Sea infected with cholera morbus since the 10th ultimo.

War Office, Pall Mall,
19th December, 1871.

5th Regiment of Dragoon Guards.

Lieutenant-General Richard Parker to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir James Yorke Scarlett, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 7th December, 1871.

11th Regiment of Hussars.

Major-General Charles Hagart, C.B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General George William Key, removed to the 15th Hussars. Dated 19th November, 1871.

15th Regiment of Hussars.

Lieutenant-General George William Key, from Colonel of 11th Hussars, to be Colonel, in succession to General Everard William Bouverie, deceased. Dated 19th November, 1871.

49th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Thomas James Galloway to be Colonel, vice General Sir Edmund Finucane Morris, K.C.B., deceased. Dated 5th December, 1871.

CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

Pay Sub-Department, Assistant Paymaster James White to be Deputy Paymaster, vice Peel, placed on temporary half-pay on account of ill health, unfitting him to serve abroad. Dated 1st December, 1871.

CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

Chaplain of the First Class the Reverend G. W. Langmead, M.A., having completed the requi-

site service, has been permitted to retire on half-pay. Dated 1st January, 1872.

Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend T. Molesworth, M.A., to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 19th November, 1871.

India Office, 16th December, 1871.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Frederick Alexander Wilson, Royal (Bengal) Artillery. Dated 8th June, 1860.

Lieutenant (Local Captain) Arthur L'Estrange Hamilton Holmes, 29th Regiment. Dated 6th November, 1860.

Lieutenant Arthur Conolly, Royal (Bengal) Artillery. Dated 8th June, 1860.

Lieutenant Vincent Rivaz, Royal (Bengal) Artillery. Dated 8th June, 1860.

Lieutenant George Alexander, 76th Regiment. Dated 1st December, 1863.

Lieutenant Charles Folliott Powell, 96th Regiment. Dated 22nd March, 1864.

Lieutenant John Henry Bourne, 77th Regiment. Dated 30th January, 1866.

Lieutenant Jasper Burne, 103rd Regiment. Dated 17th November, 1866.

Lieutenant Bradford Smith, 107th Regiment. Dated 6th October, 1867.

Lieutenant Sir Charles Henry Leslie, Bart., 107th Regiment. Dated 22nd January, 1868.

Lieutenant Annesley John Garrett, 45th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1861.

Lieutenant Josiah Philip Crampton Neville, 37th Regiment. Dated 4th December, 1869.
Ensign Gilbert Gaisford, 96th Regiment. Dated 23rd March, 1870.
Ensign Vincent George Lawrence Eyre, 49th Regiment. Dated 25th June, 1870.
Ensign Geffery Laurence Eliot, 12th Regiment. Dated 22nd February, 1870.
Cornet Edward Francis J. de Clanay Rennick, 3rd Hussars. Dated 6th August, 1870.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Harrison Francis Spencer Neill, 108th Regiment. Dated 1st October, 1867.
Ensign Arthur William Carter, 1st Regiment. Dated 2nd June, 1870.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Henry John Rawle, Royal Artillery. Dated 24th June, 1863.
Lieutenant James N. Sodon Kirkwood, 95th Regiment. Dated 11th January, 1867.
Ensign Hugh Frederick Smith, 88th Regiment. Dated 31st May, 1870.
Ensign William Henry Lyster, 49th Regiment, Dated 6th July, 1870.
Ensign William George Wolfe Macbay, 8th Regiment. Dated 13th July, 1870.
Ensign John Newnham Walker, 55th Regiment. Dated 17th August, 1870.

Admiralty, 18*th December*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Assistant Paymaster William F. Crosthwaite has this day been placed on the Retired List.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Captain E. Sawyer, of the 1st Warwick Militia, being granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 5th December, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 22, 1871.

By the QUEEN.

A PROCLAMATION.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS Our Parliament stands prorogued to Wednesday, the twenty-seventh day of December instant, We, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, hereby issue Our Royal Proclamation, and publish and declare, that the said Parliament be further prorogued, to Tuesday, the sixth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two; and We do hereby further, with the advice aforesaid, declare Our Royal will and pleasure that the said Parliament shall, on the said Tuesday, the sixth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy two, assemble and be holden for the dispatch of divers urgent and important affairs:

and the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, and the Commissioners for Shires and Burghs of the House of Commons, are hereby required and commanded to give their attendance accordingly, at Westminster, on the said Tuesday, the sixth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

Given at Our Court at *Windsor*, this twenty-first day of *December*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and in the thirty-fifth year of Our reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

At the Court at *Windsor*, the 21st day of *December*, 1871.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

IT is this day ordered by Her Majesty in Council that the Convocations of the Provinces of Canterbury and York be prorogued from the day to which the same now stand prorogued to Wednesday, the seventh day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two; and the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of that part of the United Kingdom called Great Britain is to cause Writs to be prepared and issued in the usual manner for proroguing the Convocations accordingly.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to declare that Bitterne and Totton shall respectively be polling-places for the southern division of the county of Southampton, and that the Justices of the Peace for such county, or for such division of such county, in quarter ses-

sions or some special sessions assembled, shall, divide such division into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling-place.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to declare that Sandown shall be a polling-place for the Isle of Wight, in the county of Southampton, and that the Justices for such county, in quarter sessions or some special sessions assembled, shall divide such county or part of such county, into convenient polling districts, and assign one of such districts to each polling-place.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to direct that from henceforth the assizes and sessions under the commissions of gaol delivery, and other commissions for the dispatch of civil and criminal business which shall be held in and for the county of Merioneth, shall be held both in the spring and summer of each year at Dolgelley, in the said county of Merioneth; and the Right Honourable the Lord High Chancellor of Great Britain is to give the necessary directions herein accordingly.

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve the following Bye-law (that is to say) :—

"That all ships trading from any port or place in Great Britain, within the London District, or any of the Trinity House Outport Districts to the port of Brest in France, or any port or place in Europe north and east of Brest, or to the Islands of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, Sark, or Man, or from Brest, or any port or place in Europe north and east of Brest, or from the Islands of Guernsey, Jersey, Alderney, Sark, or Man, to any port or place in Great Britain within either of the said districts, when not carrying passengers, shall be exempted from compulsory pilotage within such districts.

(C. 1205.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 21, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, copies of two Notices, dated the 23rd ultimo, issued by the Health Office at Beyrout, imposing a quarantine of ten days on arrivals from Constantinople, and subjecting the town of Acre to fifteen days' observation.

(C. 1212.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall,
December 21, 1871.

THE Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade have received, from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Notice of the Greek Government, imposing a quarantine of eleven days on arrivals from Salonica from the 27th ultimo, and a quarantine of observation for five days, from the 29th ultimo, on arrivals by land from Thessaly, and by sea from the European and the Asiatic coast of Turkey with the exception of arrivals from the Islands of the Archipelago and the Adriatic coast of Turkey.

War Office, Pall Mall,
22nd December, 1871.

6th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Frederick Duncombe Shafto, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

3rd Hussars, Cornet Edward Francis Joseph de Clanay Rennick to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the

Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

6th Dragoons, Captain John Loftus Bland, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

13th Hussars, Lieutenant John Chute Ellis retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

19th Hussars, Veterinary Surgeon James Kettle, from the Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary Surgeon, vice Barrow, deceased. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Royal Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel John Desborough to be Colonel, vice W. M. H. Dixon, C.B., retired upon full pay. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Captain and Bevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edgar Grantham Bredin to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Desborough, promoted. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Second Captain Arthur Stewart Hunter to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Bredin, promoted. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Second Captain William Hull Caine (late Madras), to be Captain, vice F. S. Budd, placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Second Captain Wardlaw Manderson (late Madras), to be Captain, vice G. Haggard, retired from the Service on a pension. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Lieutenant Robert Henry Grant, to be Second Captain, vice A. S. Hunter, promoted. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles William Brereton (late Madras), to be Second Captain, vice W. H. Caine, promoted. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Lieutenant the Honourable Hardress Standish O'Grady (late Madras), to be Second Captain, vice W. Manderson, promoted. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Lieutenant Hugh Allen Mackey, to be Second Captain, vice E. Baring, placed on the Supernumary List. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Lieutenant Percy Charles Whalley to be Second Captain, vice J. Sladen, placed on the Supernumary List. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Second Captain Charles Thornhill to be Adjutant, vice R. N. Young, retired from the Service on an annuity. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Second Captain William Henry Montgomerie (late Madras) to be Adjutant, vice W. H. Caine, promoted. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Royal Engineers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet-Colonel John Bayly to be Colonel, vice J. H. Freeth, retired upon full pay. Dated 14th December, 1871.

Captain Henry Francis Hancock (late Bombay), on the seconded list, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Captain Julius George Thomas Griffith (late Bombay), to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice D. J. Nasmyth, deceased. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major Berdoe Amherst Wilkinson to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Bayly. Dated 14th December, 1871.

Second Captain Walter Mardon Ducat (late Bombay), to be Captain, vice Griffith. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Second Captain John Ashton Papillon to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major Wilkinson. Dated 14th December, 1871.

Lieutenant Hamilton Tovey to be 2nd Captain, vice Ducat. Dated 1st October, 1871.

Lieutenant Richard Nicolls Buckle to be Second Captain, vice Papillon. Dated 14th December, 1871.

The surname of the Lieutenant (late Bengal), promoted to Second Captain in the Gazette of 13th January, 1871, is "Crichton," and not "Chrichton," as therein stated

The temporary Commissions as Lieutenant of the undermentioned officers to be made permanent. Dated 7th July, 1869, viz.:—

William Peacocke.
Richard Theodore Orpen.
Pechell Haslett.
Thomas Rice Henn.
George William Addison.
William St. George Ord.
Frederick Thomson Maxwell.
Edward Robert Hussey.

1*st Foot*, Ensign Arthur William Carter to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission, on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

15*th Foot*, Lieutenant Philip Ashby Mettam Pearson, from 80th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice C. C. Cole, who exchanges. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

22*nd Foot*, The Commission as Adjutant of Lieutenant Edward Straton to be ante-dated to the 20th April, 1868.

38*th Foot*, Staff Surgeon Charles Henry Browne to be Surgeon, vice Watkin Sandom Whylock, M.D., appointed to the Staff. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

43*rd Foot*, Lieutenant Arthur Longley to be Captain, vice Arthur Brett Onslow, deceased. Dated 28th November, 1871.

45*th Foot*, Lieutenant Annesley John Garrett to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

48*th Foot*, Staff Surgeon-Major Francis Holton, M.B., to be Surgeon, vice William Robert Burkitt, appointed to the Staff. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon James Maybury Beamish, M.D., to be Assistant - Surgeon, vice John Gordon Grant, appointed to the Staff. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

51*st Foot*, Major Francis James B. Reed retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

55*th Foot*, Ensign John Newman Walker to be permitted to receive the value of his Commission, on transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

80*th Foot*, Lieutenant Charles Christopher Cole, from the 15th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice P. A. M. Pearson, who exchanges. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Staff-Surgeon David Chambers McFall to be Surgeon, vice Ralph Robert Scott, appointed to the Staff. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

82*nd Foot*, Ensign James William Poole retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

90*th Foot*, Ensign Herbert Flint retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

92*nd Foot*, Captain and Brevet Major Duncan Stewart has been permitted to retire upon temporary half pay. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

95*th Foot*, Lieutenant Sir Archibald Ava Campbell, Bart., retires from the Service, receiving

the value of his Commission. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

103*rd Foot*, Ensign Walter Stewart Burmester has been permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

1*st West India Regiment*, Captain William Henry Penoyre FitzMorris Strachan to be Major, vice Alexander Bravo, transferred to the 2nd West India Regiment. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Captain Francis Shearman, from half-pay, late 3rd West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice Strachan. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

2*nd West India Regiment*, Major Alexander Bravo, from 1st West India Regiment, to be Major, vice Edgar Gardner, who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major Arthur Rudge, from the Royal Artillery, to be Staff Surgeon-Major, vice Staff Surgeon John Harrison Robotham, appointed to the 63rd Foot. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Surgeon Watkin Sandom Whylock, M.D., from the 38th Foot, to be Staff-Surgeon, vice Charles Henry Browne, appointed to the 38th Foot. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Surgeon Ralph Robert Scott, from the 80th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon, vice David Chambers McFall, appointed to the 80th Foot. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Surgeon William Robert Burkitt, from the 48th Foot, to be Staff Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major Francis Holton, M.B., appointed to 48th Foot. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Staff Assistant-Surgeon David Chambers McFall

to be Staff Surgeon, vice Staff Surgeon-Major Robert Thomas Buckle, M.D., placed upon half-pay. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Assistant-Surgeon John Gordon Grant, from the 48th Foot, to be Staff Assistant-Surgeon, vice James Maybury Beamish, M.D., appointed to the 48th Foot. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Apothecary to the Forces John McIntosh has been permitted to retire upon half-pay. Dated 20th September, 1871.

BREVET.

Colonel Frederick Richard Pollock, C.S.I., Bengal Staff Corps, to have the local rank of Major-General while employed on special duty in Persia and the adjacent countries. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

The name of Captain C. B. Smith, Madras General List, who was granted the local rank of Major in Persia and the adjacent countries, in the Gazette of the 17th November, 1871, to stand before that of second Captain B. Lovett, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers.

Colonel James Holt Freeth, retired full pay, Royal Engineers, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 14th December, 1871.

Colonel William Manley Hall Dixon, C.B., retired full pay Royal Artillery, to be Major-General, the rank being honorary only. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Captain John Frederick Adolphus McNair, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, who has been placed on the Retired List from the 31st August, 1870, to have the honorary rank of Major from the date of such retirement.

Captain George Haggard, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, retired on a pension, to have the

honorary rank of Major. Dated 23rd December, 1871.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Prescott Harrison, 80th Foot, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel, under the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870. Dated 9th November, 1871.

The undermentioned promotions and alterations of rank to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death of General Thomas Mathew Taylor, Bengal Cavalry, on the 2nd September, 1871 :—

Lieutenant-General Eyre Evans Bruce, Madras Infantry, to be General. Dated 3rd September, 1871.

The undermentioned officers will rank as follows :—

Lieutenant-General David Simpson, Bengal Infantry. Dated 3rd September, 1871.

Lieutenant-General Edward Altham Cumberlege, Bengal Infantry. Dated 17th September, 1871.

Lieutenant-General John Macdonald, Bengal Infantry. Dated 26th September, 1871.

Major-General Frederick Maitland, Bengal Infantry. Dated 3rd September, 1871.

Major-General Henry Nott, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 17th September, 1871.

Major-General John Talbot Shakespear, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 26th September, 1871.

The under-mentioned promotions to take place under the operation of Clause 24 of the Royal Warrant of the 27th December, 1870, consequent on the death of Lieutenant-General Sir George

Inglis Jameson, K.C.S.I., Her Majesty's Indian Army, on the 24th October, 1871.

Brevet-Colonel John Alfred Street, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late Depôt Battalion, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such ante-date not to carry back pay prior to 25th October, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major Edward John Dickson, Staff Captain, Isle of Man, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 25th October, 1871.

Captain William Newcomen Watts, 1st Foot, to be Major. Dated 25th October, 1871.

Consequent on the above promotion of Colonel Street to be Major-General, the whole of the Officers of the Indian Staff Corps, including the General Officers, are transferred to the British Establishment, under the operation of Clauses 25 and 39 of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870; and the following promotions are made under Clause 27 of that Warrant, in augmentation of the Establishment:—

To be Generals. Dated 25th October, 1871.

Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir James Yorke Scarlett, G.C.B., Colonel of the 5th Dragoon Guards.

Lieutenant-General Sir George Buller, G.C.B., Colonel Commandant Rifle Brigade.

Lieutenant-General Sir John Bloomfield Gough, K.C.B., Colonel of the 2nd Dragoons.

Lieutenant-General the Honourable Arthur Upton.

Lieutenant-General Sir Abraham Josias Cloeté, K.C.B., Colonel of the 19th Foot.

Lieutenant-General George Macdonald, Colonel of the 16th Foot.

Lieutenant-General James Robertson Craufurd, Colonel of the 91st Foot.

Lieutenant-General Richard Greaves, Colonel of the 40th Foot.

Lieutenant-General Sir William Henry Elliott, K.C.B., Colonel of the 51st Foot.

To be Lieutenant-Generals. Dated 25th October, 1871.

Major-General Edward Pole, Colonel of the 5th Lancers, vice the Honourable Sir James Yorke Scarlett, G.C.B., promoted.

Major-General Sir Robert Walpole, K.C.B., Colonel of the 65th Foot, vice Sir G. Buller, G.C.B., promoted.

Major-General Sir Arthur Johnstone Lawrence, K.C.B., Colonel of the 58th Foot, vice Sir J. B. Gough, K.C.B., promoted.

Major-General the Honourable George Cadogan, C.B., Colonel of the 106th Foot, vice the Honourable A. Upton, promoted.

Major-General John C. Hope Gibsone, Colonel of the 8th Hussars, vice Sir A. J. Cloeté, K.C.B., promoted.

Major-General Charles P. Ainslie, Colonel of the 1st Dragoons, vice G. Macdonald, promoted.

Major-General Freeman Murray, vice J. R. Craufurd, promoted.

Major-General Alexander N., Viscount Bridport, vice R. Greaves, promoted.

Major-General Sir David Russell, K.C.B., Colonel of the 75th Foot, vice Sir W. H. Elliott, K.C.B., promoted.

Major-General Sir Horatio Shirley, K.C.B., Colonel of the 61st Foot.

Major-General William Samuel Newton.

Major-General Spencer Perceval.

Major-General Henry Cooper, Colonel of the 79th Foot.

Major-General Randal Rumley, Colonel of the 27th Foot.

Major-General the Right Honourable Sir H. Knight Storks, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., Colonel of the 70th Foot.

Major-General the Right Honourable G. C. Weld Forester.

Major-General Edward Cooper Hodge, C.B., Colonel of the 18th Hussars.

Major-General Thomas Crombie.

Major-General Henry Edward Doherty, C.B.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death of Lieutenant-General James Fitzgerald, of Her Majesty's Indian Army, on the 14th November, 1871 :—

Brevet-Colonel Charles Herbert, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, retired full pay, 54th Foot, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868. such ante-date not to carry back pay prior to 15th November, 1871.

Major George William Stacpoole, half-pay, late 18th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 15th November, 1871.

Captain R. H. Ricketts Rowley Royal Artillery, to be Major. Dated 15th November, 1871.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General Everard William Bouverie, Colonel of the 15th Hussars, who died on the 18th November, 1871 :—

Lieutenant-General Pringle Taylor, Colonel of the 24th Foot, to be General. Dated 19th November, 1871.

Major-General Augustus Halifax Ferryman, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 19th November, 1871.

Brevet-Colonel John W. S. Smith, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel half-pay, late Depôt Battalion, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1871.

1868, such ante-date not to carry back pay prior to 19th November, 1871.

Captain and Brevet-Major William James Stuart, Royal Engineers, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 19th November, 1871.

Captain Clifford Parsons, 3rd Foot, to be Major. Dated 19th November, 1871.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General Sir Edmund Finucane Morris, K.C.B., Colonel of the 49th Foot, who died on 4th December, 1871 :—

Lieutenant-General Thomas Henry Johnston, Colonel of the 66th Foot, to be General. Dated 5th December, 1871.

Major-General William Raikes Faber, Colonel of the 17th Foot, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 5th December, 1871.

Brevet-Colonel Francis Pym Harding, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel 22nd Foot, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such ante-date not to carry back pay prior to 5th December, 1871.

Major Richard Harcourt Robinson, half-pay, late 60th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 5th December, 1871.

Captain Henry Heberden, Royal Artillery, to be Major. Dated 5th December, 1871.

The following promotions to take place in succession to General the Honourable Sir James Yorke Scarlett, G.C.B., Colonel of the 5th Dragoon Guards, who died on the 6th December, 1871.

Lieutenant-General Henry Aitchison Hankey, Colonel of the 3rd Hussars, to be General. Dated 7th December, 1871.

Major-General Thomas James Galloway, Colonel of the 49th Foot, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 7th December, 1871.

Brevet-Colonel Edward Stopford Claremont, C.B., from Major, half-pay, unattached, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such ante-date not to carry back pay prior to the 7th December, 1871.

Major Lionel Hook, Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 7th December, 1871.

Captain Arthur Trevor Leake Chapman, 34th Foot to be Major. Dated 7th December, 1871.

In consequence of the foregoing promotions, the undermentioned Officers to have the rank of General :—

Lieutenant-General William Crokat, on a special rate of unattached pay. Dated 25th October, 1871.

Lieutenant-General Robert Martin Leake, Major, half-pay unattached. Dated 25th October, 1871.

Lieutenant-General William Cartwright, Major, half-pay unattached. Dated 19th November, 1871.

Lieutenant General Peter Edwards, on a special rate of unattached pay. Dated 5th December, 1871.

Lieutenant-General George Whichcote, Major, half-pay unattached. Dated 5th December, 1871.

Lieutenant-General James Arthur Butler, Major, half-pay unattached. Dated 5th December, 1871.

Major-General Thomas Charlton Smith, Major, half-pay unattached, to have the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 25th October, 1871.

The following promotions, exchanges, and retirements to take place in conformity with the provisions of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870, and to be dated 31st October, 1871, the Officers promoted or exchanging to have no claim to back pay prior to 23rd December, 1871, but the Officers retiring to be permitted to receive pay up to the 22nd December, 1871, inclusive :—

24*th Foot*, Lieutenant Russell Upcher to be Captain by purchase, vice John Christian Thomas, who retires.

62*nd Foot*, Ensign Lestock Charles Harcourt Macwhirter, to retire from the Service by the sale of his Commission.

104*th Foot*, Captain Charles Henry Lonsdale, from the 105th Foot, to be Captain, vice George Benjamin Wolseley, who exchanges.

105*th Foot*, Captain George Benjamin Wolseley from the 104th Foot, to be Captain, vice C. H. Lonsdale, who exchanges.

Ceylon Rifles, Ensign Ernest Edward Swaine to be Lieutenant by purchase, vice George Frederick Alexander Mungo Bashford, who retires.

Admiralty, 19*th December*, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Charles A. P. V. Robinson has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Lieutenant Robert F. Ward has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Lieutenant Henry L. C. Robinson (whose retirement dates from the 4th instant), has been allowed to assume the rank of Commander, from the date of his retirement.

Admiralty, 20th December, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Rear-Admiral the Honourable John Welbore Sunderland Spencer has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Consequent on the above retirement—

Captain Sir Leopold George Heath, K.C.B., has this day been promoted to be a Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 22nd December, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant A. J. Leith has been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Queen's Commission.

4th West York Militia.

Lieutenant Richard Henry Atkinson, 14th Foot, to be Adjutant, vice Pollard, resigned. Dated 2nd December, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, *and of the City and County of the City of* York.

5th Regiment of West York Militia.

William Peel Nash, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice Nicholetts, resigned. Dated 28th November, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

7th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

Lieutenant Lionel Inglis to be Captain, vice William Ormerod Walker, resigned. Dated 16th December, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to accept the resignation of the Commission held by Lieutenant Walter Strangeways Morrice in the Leicestershire Regiment of Militia. Dated 13th December, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Leicester.

Leicestershire Regiment of Militia.

Francis William Reader, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 13th December, 1871.

Commission signed by the Vice Lieutenant of the County of Pembroke.

Royal Pembrokeshire Artillery Militia.

Tudor Vaughan Howell Thomas, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 18th December, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

2nd King's Own Staffordshire Militia.

Edward Graham Pennefather, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 6th December, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

1st Royal Surrey Militia.

Walter Edmund May, Gent., late 13th Foot, to be Captain, vice G. E. Hill, deceased. Dated 29th November, 1871.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 26, 1871.

Foreign Office, December 26, 1871.

EARL GRANVILLE, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has received from the French Chargé d'Affaires at this Court, the following announcement relative to Ships' Bills of Health :—

IN consequence of the improvement ascertained to have taken place in the sanitary condition of Places on the Coast of the Baltic and North Seas, the French Government has decided that an

application may be made to the Sanitary Authority in favour of Packets, making regularly at least two voyages in the course of the week, between England and France, which it is desired should be exempted from obligation to produce a bill of health for each voyage. This application will be examined by the proper department, and, if there is sufficient reason, the Minister of Commerce will grant the exemption in question. The authorization will be given in writing, and for a definite time, but it will be subject to revocation.

Windsor Castle, December 21, 1871.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty:—

His Excellency the Count de Beust, Ambassador Extraordinary from His Majesty the Emperor of Austria, to deliver his Credentials;

To which audience he was introduced by the Marquis of Ripon, K.G., Lord President of Her Majesty's Privy Council, acting for the Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, December 23, 1871.

This day, Viscount Sydney, G.C.B., Lord Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household, in The Queen's name, and on Her Majesty's behalf, delivered to Field-Marshal Sir George Pollock, G.C.B., G.C.S.I., the Keys of the Garrison of the Tower of London on his appointment as Constable of the Tower, in the room of Field-Marshal Sir John Fox Burgoyne, Bart., G.C.B., deceased.

Admiralty, 22nd December, 1871.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 21st instant :—

Captain Matthew Connolly.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

North Durham Militia.

Arthur Hildesley Daunt, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 27th November, 1871.

TREASURY WARRANT.

WE, the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, in exercise of all powers given to us by the Post Office Acts, or any of them, and of all other powers enabling us in this behalf, do by this Warrant, under the hands of two of us the said Commissioners, order and direct as follows :—

1. The letters described or referred to in the Schedule hereto may be transmitted by the post from the countries and places set forth in the first column to the countries and places set forth in the second column of such schedule, by the routes and means of conveyance described and set forth in the third column of such schedule, at the rates of postage respectively specified in the fourth column of such schedule, and subject to the regulations and conditions hereinafter contained.

2. The postage chargeable under this Warrant, upon any letter posted in the United Kingdom, shall be prepaid.

3. If the postage chargeable under this Warrant upon any letter posted in the United Kingdom shall not be prepaid, the letter shall be detained and opened and returned or given up to sender thereof.

4. This Warrant shall not prejudice or affect any exemptions or privileges granted by the Post Office Acts, nor the privilege enjoyed by seamen, soldiers, and others employed in Her Majesty's Service, of sending and receiving letters at a reduced rate of postage.

5. The rates of postage fixed by this Warrant on letters transmitted by the post as herein-mentioned shall be in lieu of those now chargeable thereon by virtue of a certain Treasury Warrant dated the 16th day of February, 1871, which Treasury Warrant is hereby repealed.

6. This Warrant shall come into operation on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two.

THE SCHEDULE.

Posted in	Addressed to	Route and Means of Conveyance.	Rates of Postage (British and Foreign combined) on each Letter.	
The United Kingdom ...	The Hawaiian Islands ...	Viâ the United States of North America, the conveyance between the United Kingdom and the said United States being by British or United States Packet Boat ...	If not exceeding one half of an ounce in weight ...	Sixpence.
The Hawaiian Islands ...	The United Kingdom ...		If exceeding one half of an ounce in weight, for the first half of an ounce, and for every additional half of an ounce or fractional part of half of an ounce	Sixpence.

Posted in	Addressed to	Route and means of Conveyance.	Rates of Postage (British and Foreign combined) on each Letter.
The Hawaiian Islands ...	Any British Colony or Foreign Country	Viâ the said United States and the United Kingdom, the conveyance between the said United States and the United Kingdom being by British or United States Packet Boat	If not exceeding one half of an ounce in weight ... } Sixpence. If exceeding one half of an ounce in weight, for the first half of an ounce, and for every additional half of an ounce, or fractional part of half of an ounce ... ... } Sixpence. And in addition, the rate or rates of postage (less the British inland rate or rates) for the time being payable for the transmission of a letter of like weight posted in the United Kingdom, addressed to the same Colony or Foreign Country, or posted in such Colony or Foreign Country addressed to the United Kingdom.
Any British Colony or Foreign Country	The Hawaiian Islands ...		

Whitehall, Treasury Chambers, the 21st day of December, 1871.

W. P. Adam.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 29, 1871.

Whitehall, December 29, 1871.

THE Secretary of State for the Home Department has received Her Majesty the Queen's commands to make public the following Letter :—

Windsor Castle, December 26, 1871.

THE Queen is very anxious to express Her deep sense of the touching sympathy of the whole Nation on the occasion of the alarming illness of Her dear Son, the Prince of Wales. The universal feeling shown by Her people during those painful, terrible days, and the sympathy evinced by them with Herself and Her beloved Daughter, the Princess of Wales, as well as the general joy at the improvement in the Prince of Wales's state, have made a deep and lasting impression on Her heart which can never be effaced. It was, indeed, nothing new to Her, for the Queen had met with the same sympathy when just ten years ago a similar illness removed from Her side the mainstay of Her life, the best, wisest, and kindest of Husbands.

The Queen wishes to express at the same time on the part of the Princess of Wales her feelings of heartfelt gratitude, for she has been as deeply touched as the Queen by the great and universal manifestation of loyalty and sympathy.

The Queen cannot conclude without expressing Her hope that Her faithful subjects will continue

their prayers to God for the complete recovery of Her dear Son to health and strength.

War Office, Pall Mall,
29th December, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieutenants, whose Commissions bear date on or before the 31st October, 1871, will, on being brought into a Regiment from Full or Half Pay, or by Exchange with an Officer who was a Lieutenant prior to the 1st November, 1871, be placed next above the Senior Lieutenant of such Regiment who was not a Lieutenant on the 31st October, 1871, and who may not have completed three years' service.

War Office, Pall Mall,
29th December, 1871.

The undermentioned Cornets and Sub-Lieutenants to be Lieutenants. Dated 1st November, 1871:—

1st Regiment of Life Guards,

The Honourable Hugh Le Despeneer Boscawen.
John Edmund Philip Spicer.
Ian Charles, Viscount Reidhaven.
Henry Cairnes Westenra, Lord Rossmore.
James Walter, Viscount Grimston.
The Honourable Bernard Edward Barnaby Fitz-Patrick.

2nd Life Guards,

Thomas Carew Daniel.
Hector Robert Toler.
Richard Henry Towneley.
Douglas Mackinnon Baillie Hamilton, Lord Cochrane.

Cromartie, Marquis of Stafford.
Francis Johnstone.
William Causfield Gerard.
Audley Dallas Neeld.
Thomas Wake.

The undermentioned Cornets to be Lieutenants. Dated 1st November, 1871 :—

Royal Horse Guards,
Thomas Priestley.
The Honourable William Charles Wentworth-Fitzwilliam.
John Hew North Gustave Henry, Viscount Dalrymple.
Frederick Richard Gascoigne.
Henry Aubrey Coventry.
George Lamplugh Wickham.

1st Dragoon Guards.
Charles Bilderbeck Mead Branson.
Harry James Watson.
Nicholas Sadlier.

2nd Dragoon Guards,
Thomas Teed.
Benjamin Relf.
Rudolph Hamilton Spencer.

3rd Dragoon Guards,
Roger Kennedy Parke.

4th Dragoon Guards,
George Edward Dowdeswell.
John Robert Phelips Goodden.
John Hubert Hussey.

5th Dragoon Guards,
Walter Campbell Calvert.
Robert Wilson Kearsley.

6th Dragoon Guards,
William Henry MacGeorge.

7th Dragoon Guards,
William Edward Morrison Rough.

1st Dragoons,
George Allen.
Farquhar McCrae Bruce.

3rd Hussars,
Robert Holford Daniell.
William Wilkes Unett.
Thomas Hopwood Peckham.
Henry Willoughby Trevelyan.

4th Hussars,
Frederick Wilson Hemming.
Archibald Mungo Muir.
George Graham Dawes.
William Bernard Wilson.
Robert Francis Trotter.
George Knudson Deane.

5th Lancers,
Edward Vernon Peshall Monteith.
Charles Harman Baines.
Charles Henry Vincent Garbett.
St. John Fancourt Michell.
Edward Christopher Baker.
Cecil William Norton.
Alexander Masters.

6th Dragoons,
John St. John Frederick.
William Henry Dawson.

7th Hussars,
William Blakeney Persse Trousdell.
Russell Smith.
The Honourable John Edward Leveson Jervis.
Robert Roper.

8th Hussars,
Abel Serge Henry d'Avigdor.
Arthur Mark Crofton.

9th Lancers,
Strange Gould Butson.

10th Hussars,
Richard Thorold.
Hugh Sutlej Gough.
Dermot Robert Wyndham, Lord Naas.
Charles William Francis, Viscount Campden.

11th Hussars,
John Charlton Kinchant.
Hamilton Campbell Vetch.
Charles Verelst Verelst.
Edward Archibald Young.

12th Lancers
Henry Robert Alfred Ellis.
Lewis George Dive.
Clarence George Scott Pigou.
William Edward Brown.
Herbert Blakely Brown.
Frederick George Pogson.
James Crosslé.

13th Hussars,
William Freeman.
Ernest Richard Hope Torin.
Anthony Charles Sykes Abdy.

15th Hussars,
William Finlay Hamilton.
George Digby Filmer Sulivan.
Charles King Rennell.
Alfred Smirke.
Arthur Gambier Holland.
Arthur Thomson Middleton.
Cecil Francis Johnstone Douglas.

16th Lancers,
George Edward Money.
Somerset Albert Middleton Smythe.

Edward Oliver M'Causland.
John Mews Evetts.

17*th Lancers*,
Thomas Mack.
Augustus Edward Burdon.

18*th Hussars*,
Richard Knox.
William Edward Bolton.
Montagu Maule Slade.
Edward Deedes Newnham Smith.
Thomas Hope.
Benson Day Harrison.
Charles Henry Simpson.

19*th Hussars*,
Henry Edmonds Kynaston.
Frederick Melkington Stow.
Charles Edward Warde.

20*th Hussars*,
Charles Willoughby Hemans
John Thomas Browne.
Horace Hilton Perkin.
Henry Augustus Wetherall.
Francis John Graves.
William John Irwin.

21*st Hussars*,
Rowland Hill Martin.
Thomas Henry Michael Kelly.
Frederick Hutchinson Haynes.
John Fraser Dingwall Fordyce.
Harry Murray Mackenzie.

The undermentioned Ensigns to be Lieutenants. Dated 1st November, 1871:—

1*st Foot*,
Richard Henry Derman.
William Drury Shaw.
Arthur Howlett.

Hardinge Cornwallis Hogg.
Stephen Blythe Moore.
William Arthur Broome.
Rowland Fearnley Kyrle Money.
Atwell Robert Porter.

2nd Foot,
John Stratford Collins.
Edwards Werge.
Clement John Dickson.
Alexander Theodore Morison.
Terence John Bockett Dunne.
Hamilton James Elverson.
John Richard Harloem Richards.
Robert Thomas Hanford Flood.
Charles Edward Whittle.
Charles Essex John Chichester.

3rd Foot,
Malcolm Alexander Gray.
Michael Ramsey Spence.
Lionel Thomas Spens.
Reginald Edward Guise.
Michael King Martin.
William Wyndham Harris.
Frederick Armstrong Coles.
Edmund Palmer.
Aubrey De Vere Alexander.

4th Foot,
Francis Sladen Harrison.
Frederic Russell.
John Robert Mulcahy.
Robert Alexander Ogilby.
George Goodwin Taylor.
MacGregor Brereton Ward.

5th Foot,
Herbert Reay Gall.
Middleton Westenra Biddulph.

Richard Williamson.
Samuel Boxwell.
Robert Auld.
Thomas Arthur Campion.
Alexander Chancellor.
Clement Martin Le Breton.
Percy Francis Lambart.
Harris England Buchanan.
Henry Hanbury Davies.
Charles Lionel Stephen Auber.
George Nevile Wyatt.

6th Foot,
Gerald Hyde Charles Stracey.
Neville Vibart.
Edward Arthur Ball.
Arthur Mullaniffe O'Beirne.
Richard John Doyne.
Denman Croft Murray.
Edward Henry Corse-Scott.
Augustus Green.
Charles Wemyss Muir.
Edward John Winnington-Ingram.
Willoughby Edward Gordon Forbes.
Henry Blake Harward.
Charles Boileau Down.

7th Foot,
Lionel Albert Thomas McCudden.
Norman Pochin.
Berkenhead Glegg.
Percy St. Maur.
Frederick St. Leger Tottenham.
John Thomas Macan Kirwan.
Charles Wyndham Heathcote Rickford.
Archibald Edward Crichton.
Charles Lysaght Mortimer.
Edward Alfred Mostyn.
Augustus Samuel William Connor.
Robert Preston Birkett Rodick.

8th Foot,

William Freeman Kelly.
William Richard Orme.
Charles William Atkinson.
Henry Thomas Granger.
Joseph Wright Ward.
Henry Snelson Ahmuty Fuller.
Edmund William Birch Hope.
Lawrence Charles Frederick Thompson.
Henry Napier McRae.
Henry Meredith Wade.

9th Foot,

Richard Andrews Mitchell.
Herbert Durell Terry.
Fitzmaurice Robert Deane Townshend.
John Baines Seddon Deverell.
Edward Croft Murray.
Charles Edmond Ralph William Mortimer.
Octavius Allcard.
Edward Bosville James.
Frederick Temple Rowan Hamilton.
Waldegrave Charles Fearn Kell.
Dive Knighton Robertson.

10th Foot,

Francis Crichton Maltby.
Metcalfe Dale.
Charles Talbot Peyton.
Cathcart William Monypenny.
Charles Marryat Short.
Edward Chamier Kellie.
Frederic William Key Glass.
George Cadell Dobbs.
Henry Frederick Vardon Gaitskell.
George Blagrove Paton.
Herbert Meyrick.
Frank Robert Lowth.
William Hastings Sim.
James de Hoghton.

11*th Foot*,

Richard Edward Kelsall.
Edward Willcock Chalmers.
Robert Edward Arthur Jenkins.
Norton Charles Martelli.
Bradshaw Lewis Philip Reilly.
William Yorke.
Francis William Staveley Jackson.
George Wilkinson Ramsay Gordon.
William Prinn Noon
James Browne.
Malcolm Edward Haleman Owen Welch.
Herbert Edward Penton.
William Arthur Joyce Murray.
Henry Beauchamp St. John.

12*th Foot*,

Charles Fairfax Hutton-Riddell.
Charles Richard Townley.
Richard James Pike.
Charles Thomas Jackson Dowler.
Arthur Cotes.
Edward Redston James Warner.
John Grant.
William Randolph Routh.
Thomas Patrick Moloney.
James Sidney Tillyer-Blunt.
Herbert Anthony Sawyer.
Guillum Scott Baugh.

13*th Foot*,

Frank Boyd Bradshaw.
William Thomas Summers.
Walter Edgar Gaskell.
Richard Cooper.
Arthur Close Borton.
Newton Saulez.
Noel Norcott Winter.
John Charles Ambrose.
Edward John Fownes.

Edmond Joseph Gallwey.
Francis James Justice.
Edmund William Clarke.
Pierce Edward Hughes.

14*th Foot*,
Dudley Raymond.
Charles Alexander Morris.
Patrick Crosbie.
Somerset James Butler.
Alfred Ruttledge.
Thomas Middleton Robinson.
James Reid.
John Gaunt Berkeley Lye.
Charles Stewad Gordon.
Harry Howlett Young.

15*th Foot*,
Carré Fulton.
William Crofts Bellers.
George Hamilton Johnston.
George Charles Kynaston Pigott Roupell.
William Henry Rushbrooke.
Thomas George Shortland.

16*th Foot*,
Walter Mayer Griffith.
George Dalrymple More Nisbett.
William Sloane Elderton.
Reginald Fawkes.
Justice Chapman Tilly.
Francis Lindsay Hall Harrison.

17*th Foot*,
Nicholas Cuthbert Wiseman.
Henry Morris.
William Wingfield Clarke.
Henry Hay.
Cuthbert Collingwood Denny.
Francis Edward Knowles Bird.

John William Edward Angelo.
Frederick Charles Maisey.

18*th Foot*,
William George Forbes Cockburn.
William Wylly Lawrence.
Frederic Ernest Lowther Schreiber.
Charles Egerton Dixon.
James William Graves.
Samuel Phillips.

19*th Foot*,
William Francis Hungerford Grey.
Edward Archibald Brice.
Robert Alfred Plassey Hallifax.
George Alexander Kennedy Skipton.
Thomas Otho FitzGerald.
George Hawkes.
Lionel Henry Mocatta Levin.
John Francis Simonet.
George Wingate.

20*th Foot*,
De la Pere Robinson.
Gerald Elliott Browne.
John Mack.
Frederic John Waudby.
Walter Randolph.
Richard George Randall.
Edward Bowen.
William Savage Baker.
William Boxwell.

21*st Foot*,
Henry John Meares.
John Henry Spurgin.
William Arthur James Frere.
Louis Arnold Armit.
Charles Hugh Wyndham.
Taylor Dalrymple Wilson.
Arthur Symons Justice.

Edmund Francis Braine.
Richard Carnac Temple.
Averell Daniell.
William Morton Duckett.

22nd Foot,
William Charles Daman.
John Frederick Wyley.
John Deering.
Loftus Otway White.
William Henry Leak.
William Bothwell Potter.
Emlyn Fortescue Lloyd.
Thomas Clerk.
Granville Lawrence Hay.

23rd Foot,
Charles George Adams Mayhew.
Edward Harrison Clough-Taylor.
Charles Edward Howard Vincent.
Hamilton Richard Boyle.
John Temple Charles Reilly.
Arthur Francis Bernard.
Charles Campbell McCallum.

24th Foot,
Charles Warren Walker.
John Grenville Syms.
George Carew Fenwick.
Gonville Bromhead.
Joseph Henry Banks.
George Stanhope Banister.
Douglas Davidson Pryce.
John Hoskyns.
Francis Tollemache Halliday.
George John Scarlett Toler.
Edward Stevenson Browne.
Edward Witherden Curteis.

25th Foot,
Edward Theophilus Murray.
Arthur Leith Hay Mackay.

James Ramsay Hobday.
George Davidson Campbell Gastrell.
Hesketh Broderick Prichard.
John William Godfray.
Charles Chester Williams Dandridge.
Oswald Claude Radford.
George Thomas William Hewat.

26*th Foot*,
Edward Macklon Dougherty.
Percy John Hughes.
Thomas Wills Conran.
Thomas Colthurst Jameson.
Henry Campbell Lamb.
Frederiek Charles Napier Goldney.
D'Arcy Wentworth Thuillier.
Sydney George Cumberland Greenaway.

27*th Foot*,
Thomas John Ashley Hoban.
John Patriek Somers Cocks.
Henry Bromley.
Alexander James Irvine.
George Herbert Miehaelson.

28*th Foot*,
John Henry Fitzherbert Jacson.
Rawdon Robert McCrea.
Edward Kirkman Loyd.
George Waldron Lyttleton.
James Duff Coghlan.

29*th Foot*,
William Barlow.
Charles Henry Darby Kirby.
Franeis Henry Lovell.
Charles de Freville Green.
Arthur George St. George.

30*th Foot*,
Henry Theodore Penrhys Evans,
Alfred George Watson.

Archibald John Arnott Wright.
John Morpott Piercy.

31*st Foot*,
Edward Morant.
Henry Butler.
William Homan Turpin.
Claud William Leslie Ogilby.
Arthur Sutherland Reynolds.

32*nd Foot*,
Herbert Trevelyan.
Loftus Edward Coore Inglefield.
Edward Garland Colmore Cregoe.
Adrien Samuel Woods.
Edward Maxwell Glegg.
Oswald Routh Jones.

33*rd Foot*,
Arthur John Preston.
John Charles Duke.

34*th Foot*,
Harcourt Ranking Rose.
James Forbes Chisholm-Batten.
Robert Williams Andrews.
Edward St. Leonards Gybbon Monypenny.

35*th Foot*,
Francis Selwyn Campbell.

36*th Foot*,
Archibald Spiers McRae.
Arthur Parry Thornton.
Thomas John O'D. Renny.
Henry Harvey Swetenham.
John Peirse de la Poer Beresford.
William Frederick Hennell.
Charles Hogge.

37*th Foot*,
Henry Alexius Abbott.
Arthur Reginald Hennell.

Edward Sheridan King.
Arthur Burlton-Bennett.
Archibald MacBean.
Julian Henry Layard.

38*th Foot*,
Ernest Llewelyn Olive.
Michael Frederick Fitzgerald Hackett.
John Bulkeley Price.

39*th Foot*,
Hyacinth Chevers.
Charles Sperling Cumberland.
Lewis Dening.
Frank Abbot.
Edward Bruce.
Edward Watson Conran.
Charles Oldfield Nicholetts.
George Frankland Francis.

40*th Foot*,
George Thomas Le Breton Pipon.
Walter Luttrell Mansel.
Henry Edward Railston.
Alan Gardner.

41*st Foot*,
John James Money-Simons.
Frank Fiddes Rudman.
Charles James Jamieson.
Edward Vyvyan Huyshe.
John Owen Quirk.

42*nd Foot*,
Mackay John Scobie.
James Compson Harrison.
William Alexander Berwick.
Andrew Scott Stevenson.
Edward George Grogan.
Alexander Thomas Hamilton.
William Henry Hallowell Carew Moubray.

43*rd Foot*,
Joseph Granville Stuart Goff.
James Arthur Strachan.

44*th Foot*,
George Hudleston Powell.
Montagu Wynyard.
Edward Nash Leahy.
Willoughby Pitcairn Kennedy.

45*th Foot*,
Spencer Richard Rawlinson.
George Hounsom Fort.
Arthur Clifford Lloyd.
Hugh Lyons-Montgomery.
John William Thring Hume.
Henry Macan Mason.
Edward Augustus Carter.

46*th Foot*,
Henry Pinnock Bailey.
Charles Edward de la Poer Beresford.

47*th Foot*,
Algernon Frederick William Austen.
Henry Lees.
William Henry Ridge Gunner.

48*th Foot*,
George Burridge Rogers.
Edward Gully Bennet.
Robert Hugh Fraser.
Alexander Bell.
Charles McClintock Le Blanc.
George Fitzherbert Browne.

49*th Foot*,
Arthur Norman Burns.
Edmund Balfe.
William John Jackson.
Henry Ernest Haldane.
Justinian Gordon Ponsonby.
Samuel Lindsay Moor Remmington.

50th Foot,

James Edward Doidge Taunton.
Edgar John Robinson.
James Powrie Soote.
James Bromfield.
Walter Delamain Tripe.
William Townsend De Moleyns.

51st Foot,

The Honourable Arthur Edward Casamaijor Cole.
Richard Edward McGillycuddy.
Edward Lockhart Burnett.
Richard Marsh Dunn.

52nd Foot,

Alfred William Maitland FitzRoy.
Walter Howell Cunliffe.
Philip Thomas Godsal.
Richard Curzon Sherwin Drury-Lowe.
Arthur Edward Dalzell.

53rd Foot,

George Arbuthnot.
Molyneux Capel Spottiswoode.
Frederick Coare Mein.
Pulteney Henry Murray.
Lionel Algernon White.
Henry Frederick Lane.

54th Foot,

John William Merton Macartney.
Cecil Henry Law.
Henry North Webb.
Charles Edward Parker Jervis.

55th Foot,

Joseph Myres Jackson.
Alexander Henry Atkinson.
Audley Walter Washburne Money-Kyrle.
Frank Kirkman Loyd.
William Henry Burke.

George Francis William Macmahon.
Charles Herbert Smith.
Reginald Campbell Hadow.

56*th Foot*,
Henry Wyndham Ricketts.
Frederick Gordon Alexander.
Edward Evans Kenny.
Alfred Fox Cotton.
Arthur Lawrence Dingwall Fordyce.

57*th Foot*,
Thomas John De Burgh.
Aubrey Reginald Hamilton.
Alfred Allan Garstin.

58*th Foot*,
Francis Mellowes Maycock.
Cyril Hugh Selby Gambier.
Henry Metcalfe Nuthall.
Alexander William Croker Bell.
John Charles Frederick Gordon.
Henry Cornelius King.
Duncan Chesney.
George Gunn Munro.

59*th Foot*,
William Fulton.
William George Small.
Bennett William Lucas.
John Frederick Irwin.
Arthur Lapping.
Shirley Apthorp.
Alfred Dashwood Worgan.

60*th Foot*,
Charles Michell.
Arthur James Brander.
Harry Mills-Sandford.
Henry Ernest William Fetherstonhaugh.
Francis Moore Ward.
Charles Radly Brittain Thorne.

Charles Hope.
Richard Steele Rupert Fetherstonhaugh.
Godfrey Astell.
Humphrey David Parry Okeden.
Nicholas Edward de Berner Fenwick.
Walter Henry Holbeach.
William Sturrock Anderson.
Frederick Amelius Beauclerk.
Clement William Archer.
Henry Allfrey.
Corbet Stapleton Cotton.
Henry Lowth Farmer.
Robert Henley.
Arthur George Addey Martin.
Arthur Cyprian Knollys.
Mordaunt Charles Boyle.

61*st Foot*,
William Mends Forte Trotman.
Allan Gilmore.
Francis Herbert England.
Ludlow Strange Henry Payne.
James Hayes Sadler.

62*nd Foot*,
Harry Molyneux Carter.
Clayton William James Hingston.
Robert Henry Forrest.
Frederick Drummond Battye.
James Francis Carthew.
Edward James Gardner Lewis.
John Clibborn.
Adolphus Lambert Dennis.
George Lake Talbot Denniss.

63*rd Foot*,
Arthur George Millar.
Ralph Montague Smyth.
Charles John Sherer Whittall.
William Robert Le Geyt Anderson.
George Lindsay Garstin.

64*th Foot*,
Richard John Bingham.
Frederick Seton Karr Lushington.
John McDougall.
John Patrick Miller.
John Richard Povah.

65*th Foot*,
Henry William Price.
Richard Duffin Buckley Rutherford.
George Bryan Douglas Thornhill.
Henry Spencer Wheatley.
Alexander Thomas Weller.
Frederick Guy Vivian.

66*th Foot*,
Edward Henry Fosbery.
Beauchamp Robert Hobart.
George Crofton Wilmer.
Henry Breffney Ternan.
Frederick Duncan Raikes.
Manners Charles Wood.
Rupert Virginius Thomas Edward Stevenson.

67*th Foot*,
John Percy Groves.
Richard Frederick Atkinson.
Robert George Wardlaw-Ramsay.
Hammond Astley Tapp.

68*th Foot*,
Eustace Ashburner Tickell.
William Conyngham Vandeleur Burton.

69*th Foot*,
Edmund Randolph.
Rees John Francis Banfield.
Edward Richard Berkeley Ingram.

70*th Foot*,
William Vernon Ford.
James William Alexander Boothby.

Ferdinand Seymour Leslie.
John Arundell Winter.
Richard Handcock William Henry Harris.

71st Foot,
Arthur Gordon Schneider.
William Gillon.
John Sanderson Lyster.
Alfred Donald Mackintosh.
Ernest Lucas Braithwaite.

72nd Foot,
Robert Hunter Murray.
FitzGibbon Trant.
Frederick William Holland.
James Wallace.
Charles Hamilton Fergusson.
Robert Arnold Vansittart.

73rd Foot,
George Day Maybury.
Gerald John Roberts.
Frederic Peart Chevers.
William Molineux Shapland Swiny.
Thomas Henry Forster Strickland.
Henry Richardson Scott.

74th Foot,
James Otway Toler.
Alfred William James Gow-Steuart.
Henry Boughey.
Lambart Hugh Skene.
Rupert La Trobe Lonsdale.
Francis Augustus Hare.
Edward Arthur Graham.

75th Foot,
Charles Albert Barrett.
Ernest George Miller.
Denman Lambert Baynes.
William Henry Beaumont.

Arthur Henry Pain.
James John Burke Menzies.

76*th Foot*,
Duncan Donald Charles McCay McDonald.
Benjamin Alexander Napier Parrott.
Cleveland Augustus Brett.
Francis William Snell.
Henry Robert Daeres Thomas.
Charles William Gore.
Charles Campbell Whistler.
Andrew William Proudfoot.
Frederick Deffield Welchman.

77*th Foot*,
Frederick Graham.
Ruseombe Field Westmaeott.
Malcolm Edward Thomson.

78*th Foot*,
Dunean Stewart.
William Wellington Sandeman.
George Frederick William Callander.
James Henry Ewart.
Charles William Carfrae.
William Brewster McDougall.
Perey Seymour Harvey.

79*th Foot*,
Robert Harris Carnwath Dalzell.
James Moray Brown.
Norman Guthrie Chalmers.
Hugh Tilghman Macleod.
Gordon Lorn Campbell Money.
Colin Charles Maekenzie.
James Frederiek Shaw-Kennedy.
William Heskett Smith.
Patrick James Frederick Grœme.

80*th Foot*,
Henry James Johnson.
Edward Gillman.

James Ormsby Sherrard.
Lipton Cumming Potts.

81*st Foot*,
Benjamin Arthur Satterthwaite.
Francis Henry Wheler.
Charles Edward Sawyer.
Arthur Joshua Tetley.

82*nd Foot*,
John Guyse Sparke.
Charles Adolphus Peyron Burroughs.

83*rd Foot*,
Alfred James Phayre Nuthall.
James Archibald Robert Bell.
Charles William Hinde.
Charles Gerald Bernard Hervey.
George Cleaveland.

84*th Foot*,
John Lepperd.
Francis Walter Lundy.

85*th Foot*,
Edward Burrell.
Ingoldsby William Thomas Somerset Smythe.
Cecil Henry Collette.
Vernon Ansdell Schalch.
Duncan Alexander Allan Macpherson.
Charles Frederick Vice.

86*th Foot*.
Hamilton Harvey Pitt Denning.
Henry Brookes.
Robert John Knox.
Charles Harcourt Loraine.
George Hawkins.
Edward Guy Selby-Smyth.

87*th Foot*.
Mark Singleton.
William Humphreys.

Frederick Carpenter.
Alfred Cooper Hennell.
Arthur Collingwood Denny.

88*th Foot.*
Gerald Ward Martin.
Smith Hannington Gardner.

89*th Foot.*
John Gordon.
Edgar Cubitt Brown.
Robert Hawkes Ellis.
James Boyle.
Alexander Henry Gibbs Anton.
Christopher Neeld Jones.

90*th Foot,*
Frederick Maitland Balfour.
George Sandham.
Arthur Hardolph Eyre.
Arthur Wood Elliott.

91*st Foot,*
Dangan James MacGregor MacDonald.
Thomas Fraser King.
Henry Alexander Schank.
James Latimer Crawshay St. Clair.

92*nd Foot,*
Oliver Selby.
Stuart Alexander Menzies.

93*rd Foot,*
Ormelie Campbell Hannay.
Brooke Stewart Cunliffe.
Henry Mark Atherley.
Edward William Dunlo Croker.
John David Fetherstonhaugh.
William Bruce Mitchell Brand.
Dixon Stuart Beresford Mackenzie.

94th Foot,
James Hill Poe.
Lionel Godolphin Brooke.
Robert Francis Pate Martin.

95th Foot,
Edward Maclean Showers.
Alfred George Sandham de Salis.
John George Sparkes.

96th Foot,
Charles Reginald Macgregor.
Henry Alexander Vincent.
Edward Russell Cooper.
John Swainson D'Aguilar.
John Edmund Mein.
Thomas Moore-Lane Lawder.
Charles Frederick Murray MacGregor.

97th Foot,
Charles Robert Crosse.
Harold Cummings.
Archibald Montgomerie Hopkinson.

98th Foot,
Richard Humphrey Tyacke.
Somerset Henry Maxwell.
Alfred Frederick Birch.
Griffith Allen.

99th Foot,
Octavius Tyndale Cooch.
William Barnard Broughton.
Arthur Whicheote Turner.
Henry Charles Harford.
Henry Oxenden Weare.

100th Foot,
William Trimble Small.
William Kaye Edden.

Albert Charles Denison.
Edward French Owens.

101*st Foot*,
David George Johnston.
George Atkinson Macintire.
Fairlie Russell Martin.

102*nd Foot*,
Charles Stuart Craig.
Charles Robert Kerr.

103*rd Foot*,
Robert Henry Mansel.
Charles Duncan Cooper.
James Roy Dick.
Edward Hugh Hughes.
Skeffington John Wynne.
Henry Leycester Aylmer.

104*th Foot*,
Charles Henry Short.
Henry Craigie Halkett.
Arthur Thomas Banon.
Walter Spencer Hamilton.
John Rycroft Best.
William Butler Ferris.
Richard Holbeche.
Henry Murray.
Edmund Cox Parker.

105*th Foot*,
William Edward Hilliard.
Frederick Chase Cooper.
Arthur Frederick Barrow.
William Coles.
Francis Stevenson.
Edmund George Reilly.

106*th Foot*,
Walter Wilson James.
George Williams Deane.

Thomas Harding Mackenzie.
Charles Edgeworth Gubbins.
John William Forbes Biggs.
Henry St. Patrick Maxwell.
Edward Duncan Frederick Bignell.
Hugh Munbee Brice.
William Octavius Harris.

107*th Foot*,
Frederick Osborne Mellows Maycock.
Hugh Claude Edward Lucas.
Alfred Astley Pearson.
William Edward Bristow.
Ralph Thomason Ommanney.

108*th Foot*,
John Willoughby Wray.
Donald Archibald Campbell.

109*th Foot*,
Lewis Maltby Boileau.
Alexander Melvin.
John Edward Barr.
Thomas Robert Matheson Macpherson.
George Brougham Austin.

Rifle Brigade,
Arthur Montgomery Harington.
Honourable Joseph Constable-Maxwell.
William James Smyth.
Charles Robert Prideaux-Brune.
Charles Hawtrey Bruce Norcott.
William Whitmore Hammond.
Lionel Hervey Bathurst.
Reginald Josceline Heber-Percy.
William Bagwell.
John Delalynde Mansel.
Honourable Cospatrick Douglas Home.
Victor Napier Ward.
Walter Rupert Kenyon-Slaney.

Henry John Hardy.
Honourable Francis George Baring.
Bloomfield Gough.
Henry Verner Wingfield-Stratford.
Hugh John Douglas Gretton.
Henry Francis Gordon Forbes.
Henry Cater Bowles.
Reginald Charles Turnor.

1st West India Regiment,
St. George John Rathborne.
John Meredith Maltby.
Archibald Hew Craufuird.
Samuel Fletcher.
John Robert Hall Wilton.
William Graham.

2nd West India Regiment,
Halkett Francis Jackson.
Robert Fetherstone Devereux.
James Wilkin.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment,
Tankerville James Chamberlain.
Henry Augustus Bourchier Bristow.
Harry George Wakelyn Ford.
Robert Adams.
John Jebb Meynell.

The undermentioned Cornets to be Sub-Lieutenants. Dated 1st November, 1871 :—

1st Dragoon Guards,
Peter Marrow.

2nd Dragoon Guards,
J. F. Wiseman.
L. A. C. Fane.

3rd Dragoon Guards,
N. B. Barlow.
J. D. Bain.

4th Dragoon Guards,
A. G. Lloyd.

6th Dragoon Guards,
F. I. Main.
J. F. U. Gaskell.

7th Dragoon Guards,
R. Constable.
C. R. Dinger.
The Honourable L. E. Stanhope.

1st Dragoons,
B. I. Tidswell.

2nd Dragoons,
W. F. Firmstone.
R. R. F. Campbell.

3rd Hussars,
R. E. Grey.

6th Dragoons,
A. C. McKean.

8th Hussars,
A. Pringle.

9th Lancers,
The Honourable G. W. G. Russell.
E. G. B. Tribe.

11th Hussars,
W. H. F. Macmullen.

12th Lancers,
H. A. Case.

14th Hussars,
L. W. B. Sparrow.
The Honourable H. G. Gough.

17th Lancers,
G. A. Wood.

21st Hussars,
A. J. R. Van Cortlandt.

The undermentioned Ensigns to be Sub-Lieutenants. Dated 1st November, 1871.

1st Foot,
G. H. B. Coats.
H. L. Hallewell.
J. B. H. Read.

2nd Foot,
W. H. Walmisley.

3rd Foot,
R. R. B. Ternan.
T. E. K. Addison.

17th Foot,
C. W. Boddam.

24th Foot,
J. Haughton.

25th Foot,
R. F. Jameson.

28th Foot,
R. S. F. Walker.

35th Foot,
A. S. H. Gem.
C. H. W. Cafe.

36th Foot,
C. Pulley.

44th Foot,
A. G. F. Browne.
C. D. Rosser.

46th Foot,
F. S. Sorell.
A. M. Brennan.

54th Foot,
C. B. Airey.
T. S. Boileau.

64th Foot,
F. G. A. Wiehe.

69th Foot,
L. J. Browne.
H. B. N. Bewicke.
R. J. G. Creed.

70th Foot,
C. H. M. Smith.

71st Foot,
E. Spencer.

81st Foot,
F. A. Heathcote.

97th Foot,
J. E. Simeon.

101st Foot,
A. Wapshare.

102nd Foot,
W. J. Hume.

108th Foot,
P. E. Henderson.
H. J. B. Sparks.
F. B. Dawes.
W. G. Dunsford.

1st West India Regiment,
F. A. Montgomery-Moore.
G. E. B. Browne.

2nd West India Regiment,
C. F. Filliter.
G. H. Matthews.
G. S. Coates.
W. G. Patchett.
A. G. S. Beadnell.
H. H. Keighley.

To be Sub-Lieutenants. Dated 30th December, 1871 :—

1*st Dragoon Guards*, John Alexander, Gent.

2*nd Dragoon Guards*, Arthur Lewis George Gould, Gent.

Foster Cunliffe Lister Kay, Gent.

5*th Dragoon Guards*, John Oswald Lambert, Gent., in succession to Cornet Trotter, promoted.

Robert John Addy, Gent., in succession to Cornet Prince Sapieha, promoted.

6*th Dragoon Guards*, Charles George Hammond, Gent.

William Oliver, Gent., in succession to Lieutenant F. D. Shafto, retired.

7*th Dragoon Guards*, Charles Lucius Brooke, Gent.

1*st Dragoons*, Alexander Pringle, Gent.

2*nd Dragoons*, John William McClintock Bunbury, Gent., in succession to Cornet Johnstone, promoted.

3*rd Hussars*, William Charles Owen, Gent., in succession to Cornet Tyler, who has retired.

6*th Dragoons*, Andrew Green Thompson, Gent.

11*th Hussars*, Henry Philip Stewart Reid, Gent., in succession to Cornet Lushington, promoted.

Thomas Haughton Eyre, Gent., in succession to Cornet Kinchant, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps.

12*th Lancers*, George Henry Dean, Gent.

14*th Hussars*, Charles Stuart Wheler, Gent., in succession to Cornet Garth, promoted.

Augustus John English, Gent.

16*th Lancers*, Alexander William Dennistown Campbell, Gent., in succession to Cornet Graham, promoted.

19*th Hussars*, Eugenè Dicudonné Feraldi, Gent.

William Frederic Hamilton Yatman, Gent., in succession to Lieut. Biddulph, promoted.

Alexander Mitchell Taylor, Gent., in succession to Cornet Macwhirter, promoted.

1*st Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Alan William Low Rickards, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Goldsworthy, promoted.

3*rd Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Robert Walcott McGillivray Martin, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Howey, promoted.

11*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Charles Mordaunt Fitzgerald, in succession to Ensign R. E. A. Jenkins, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps.

14*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Thomas William Lanyon Penno, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Gardner, retired.

Gentleman Cadet William Selwood Hewett, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Lieutenant Laing, promoted.

16*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet William Henry Riddell, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Thackeray, promoted.

Gentleman Cadet Frederic Robert Bell, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Lesley, promoted.

17*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Edward Allfrey, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Stevens, promoted.

18*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Henry Patrick Russell, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Milner, promoted.

Gentleman Cadet John Henry Augustus Spyer, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Daubeny, promoted.

21*st Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Claude Frederic Gambier, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Chapman, promoted.

23*rd Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Rowland Broughton Mainwaring, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Palk, promoted.

24*th Foot*, Charles Walter Cavaye, Gent., in succession to Ensign Angelo, transferred to the 17th Foot.

25*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Thomas Justice Arthur Bather, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Beresford-Peirse, promoted.

27*th Foot*, Arthur Henry Grant, Gent., in succession to Ensign Hare, promoted.

31*st Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Cecil Guthrie Hayes Newington, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Lushington, deceased.

32*nd Foot*, Herbert Richard Saunders (Queen's Cadet), in succession to Ensign C. R. Glyn, retired.

33*rd Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Vaughan Jenkins, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Newman, promoted.

Gentleman Cadet Henry Orlando Bristowe, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Dunnington-Jefferson, promoted.

35*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet George Harden, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Sampson, promoted in 41st Foot.

Charles Legendre Johnstone (Queen's Cadet), in succession to Lieutenant Poste, made Supernumerary on appointment as Lieutenant Instructor at the School of Musketry.

36*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet George Dunsmure, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Eyre, promoted.

38*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Mossom Innis Gibbs, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Stokes, promoted.

43*rd Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Eustace Munro Heathcote, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Sawyer, promoted.

John George Cockburn Curtis, Gent., in succession to Lieutenant Longley, promoted.

45*th Foot*, Edward Cecil Dowse (Queen's Cadet), in succession to Lieutenant Peterkin, retired.

47*th Foot*, Charles Vaughan Trotter, Gent., in succession to Ensign Cecill, retired.

52*nd Foot*, Gentleman Cadet William Henry Odell, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Leycester, promoted.

56*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Allan Smith, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Blest, promoted.

57*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet John William Eyre Massey, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Bonhote, promoted.

60*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Horatio Reginald Mends, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Walpole, promoted.

63*rd Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Francis George Lawrence Mainwaring, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Cook, promoted.

68*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet William Grenville Mansel, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Stanley, promoted.

Gentleman Cadet Norman Robert Stewart, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Parke, promoted.

Gentleman Cadet John Chinery Hilliard, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Tollemache, promoted.

77*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Alexander Bowes Mein, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Warde, transferred to 19th Hussars.

81*st Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Walter Strangeways Morrice, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Kenny, transferred to 56th Foot.

82*nd Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Frederick Charles John Loder, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Flood, promoted.

Robert Howden Kellie, Gent., in succession to Ensign J. W. Poole, retired.

83*rd Foot*, Gentleman Cadet George Alexander Beresford, from Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Stokes, promoted.

84*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Robert St. George Harding Hamilton, from Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Hayne, promoted.

Gilbert Craigie Dinwiddie (Queen's Cadet), in succession to Ensign Murphy, promoted.

87*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet John Wilson, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Davison, promoted.

88*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet James Witton Thompson, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Curran, promoted.

Gentleman Cadet George Milward Griffin, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Lavie, promoted.

90*th Foot*, George William Hutchinson, Gent., in succession to Ensign Flint, retired.

92*nd Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Henry Bayly, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Cavendish, promoted.

Gentleman Cadet Maurice Crosbie Cooke-Collis, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Douglas, promoted.

Gentleman Cadet Edward Benjamin James Vaughan, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Galway, promoted.

95*th Foot*, Gentleman Cadet Francis Edward Trower, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign Bowles, promoted.

101*st Foot*, Henry Hare (Indian Cadet), in succession to Ensign Wapshare, transferred to the 108th Foot.

102*nd Foot*, Edmund George Barrow (Indian Cadet), in succession to Ensign Elliott, promoted.

Edward Brandreth Hutchinson (Indian Cadet), in succession to Ensign Hume, transferred to 107th Foot.

103*rd Foot*, Henry Charles Barton Gray (Indian Cadet), in succession to Ensign Burmester, resigned.

107*th Foot*, Ensign William Jackson Hume, from the 102nd Foot, in succession to Ensign Christie, promoted.

Gentleman Cadet Arthur Cautley Bunny, from the Royal Military College, in succession to Ensign H E E. Lucas, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps.

108*th Foot*, Ensign Arthur Wapshare, from 101st Foot, in succession to Lieutenant E. B. Anderson, a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps.

1*st West India Regiment*, Henry Hollingworth Harward, Gent., in succession to Ensign Roper, promoted.

Herbert Heberden Spitta, Gent., in succession to Ensign Smith, promoted.

Edwin Wynne Hughes, Gent., in succession to Ensign Frank Gibson Ellis, who retires.

2nd West India Regiment, Archibald Adair Bruce, Gent., in succession to Ensign Clough, promoted into 1st West India Regiment.

Ceylon Rifle Regiment, John Cave Bayley, Gent., in succession to Ensign Swaine, promoted.

CHAPLAIN'S DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend W. R. Backhouse to be Chaplain of the Fourth Class. Dated 24th May, 1871.

BREVET.

The undermentioned promotions to take place consequent on the death of—

General Patrick Cameron, Madras Infantry, on the 8th December, 1871;

Lieutenant-General Sir George Inglis Jameson, K.C.S.I., on the 24th October, 1871;

Lieutenant-General James Fitzgerald, Madras Infantry, on the 14th November, 1871;

Lieutenant-General William Maule Ramsay, Bengal Infantry, on the 13th December, 1871:—

To be General.

Lieutenant-General Henry Chambers Murray Cox, Bengal Infantry. Dated 9th December, 1871.

To be Lieutenant-Generals.

Major-General Sir Charles Shepherd Stuart, K.C.B., Bombay Infantry. Dated 25th October, 1871.

Major-General Thomas Henry Shuldham, Bengal Infantry, Dated 15th November, 1871.

Major-General John Butler, Bengal Infantry. Dated 9th December, 1871.

Major-General Haughton James, Bombay Infantry. Dated 14th December, 1871.

To be Major-General.

Colonel John Barrett, Bengal Infantry. Dated 14th December, 1871.

The following further promotions to take place consequent on the death of General Patrick Cameron, Madras Infantry, on the 8th December, 1871 :—

Brevet-Colonel Charles Cameron Shute, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, 4th Dragoon Guards, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 9th December, 1871.

Major Arthur Lyttleton Annesley, 11th Hussars, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 9th December, 1871.

Captain Henry Lowther Balfour, Royal Artillery, to be Major. Dated 9th December, 1871.

Admiralty, 27th December, 1871.

Sub-Lieutenant Tynte Ford Hammill has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 26th instant.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Anglesey.

Royal Anglesey Militia.

Henry Glendower Bodychan Sparrow, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice L. W. B. Sparrow, resigned. Dated 21st December, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, *and of the City and County of the City of* Gloucester, *and of the City and County of the City of* Bristol.

Royal South Gloucestershire Light Infantry Regiment of Militia.

Francis Dale Tagart, Gent., to be Supernumerary Lieutenant. Dated 25th December, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Haddington.

East Lothian Yeomanry Cavalry.

Cornet James George Baird Hay to be Captain, vice the Earl of Haddington, promoted. Dated 4th December, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Perth.

Royal Perthshire Rifle Regiment of Militia.

Major the Viscount Stormont to be Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant, vice Drummond Hay, resigned. Dated 22nd December, 1871.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Colonel Henry M. Drummond Hay being permitted to retain his rank and to wear the uniform of the Royal Perthshire Rifle Regiment of Militia on retirement.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Middlesex.

Uxbridge Yeomanry Cavalry.

Lieutenant William Gillett to be Captain. Dated 7th November, 1871.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of DECEMBER 29, 1871.

War Office,
30*th December*, 1871.

THE following promotions are substituted for those which appeared in the Gazette of the 29th instant, by error of the Printers, under the heads of 12th Lancers and 15th Foot respectively:—

The undermentioned Cornets to be Lieutenants. Dated 1st November, 1871:—

12*th Lancers*,

Henry Robert Alfred Ellis.
Lewis George Dive.

The undermentioned Ensigns to be Lieutenants. Dated 1st November, 1871:—

15*th Foot*,

Carré Fulton.
William Crofts Bellers.
George Hamilton Johnston.
George Charles Kynaston Pigott Roupell.
William Henry Rushbrooke.
Thomas George Shortland.
Clarence George Scott Pigou.
William Edward Brown.
Herbert Blakely Brown.
Frederick George Pogson.
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